

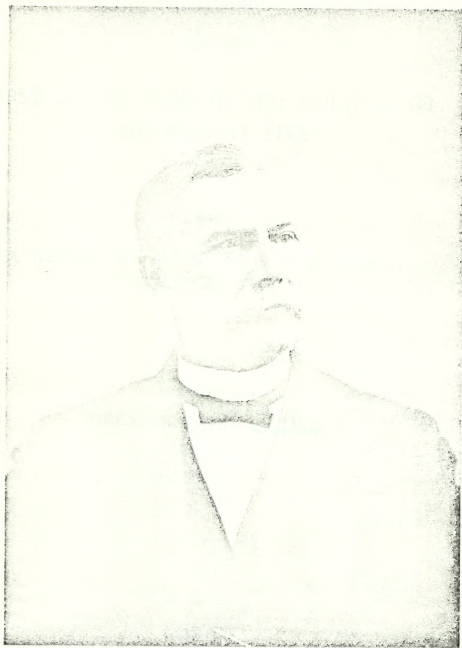
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HODGE GENEALOGY

FROM THE

FIRST OF THE NAME IN THIS COUNTRY TO
THE PRESENT TIME

WITH

A NUMBER OF ALLIED FAMILIES AND MANY
HISTORICAL FACTS

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THIRTY-FOUR GENERATIONS.

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The ancestral line here presented has been traced with much care, and is believed to be correct. If it is not, the fault is with historical and genealogical writers, from whose works, in most part, the facts given have been gathered. The writer, in his researches, has not hoped to add any new honor to that of being an "American citizen," but as a diversion in idle moments has compiled what is presented.

The Lamberts, Lymans, Deweys, Caulkins, and English families who are represented are of this country, and a little research only will be necessary to show where the off-shoots connect with the main line.

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- I. — **EGBERT**, history tells us, was the first king of England; that he was born about 775, and in 800 ascended the throne of Wessex, one of the seven kingdoms forming the Heptarchy by which Britain was then governed; that in 827 he had subdued all the other rulers and become sole monarch of England. He died about 838, and was succeeded by his son, **1687329**
- II. — **ETHELWOLF**, who ruled until 857, when dying he was succeeded by his four sons in succession. The three elder ones each ruled but a short time, the youngest of them dying in 871 from the effects of a wound received in battle with the Danes. Upon his death the fourth son,
- III. — **ALFRED**, called "Alfred the Great," born in 849 at Wantage, Berkshire, became king and ruled thirty years, until his death in October, 901. He married Elswith, daughter of a Mercian nobleman, by whom he had

- IV. — EDWARD, who succeeded his father as king, and ruled until his death in 925. He had three sons, who successively became kings of England, and a daughter,
- V. — EDGINA, who first married Charles III., of France. Charles died Oct. 7, 926, after which she married Henry, third Count de Vermandois, by whom she had son,
- VI. — HUBERT, who upon the death of his father became fourth Count de Vermandois; had
- VII. — ADELA, who married Hugh Magnus, son of Henry I., king of France, thus uniting the two royal families of England and France; had
- VIII. — LABEL, who married first Baron de Bellomant, who became first Earl of Leicester, and had
- IX. — ROBERT, second Earl of Leicester, who became Lord Justice of England; had
- X. — ROBERT, third Earl of Leicester, steward of England, who had
- XI. — MARGARET, who married Saier de Quincey, created in 1207 Earl of Winchester, and who died in 1219. She had
- XII. — ROGER, who became second Earl of Winchester and constable of Scotland. He married Helen, daughter of Alan, Lord of Gallaway, and died in 1264; had
- XIII. — ELIZABETH, who married Alexander, Baron Cumyn, second Earl of Buchan, and had
- XIV. — AGNES, who married Gilbert, Baron de Umfraville. She had
- XV. — GILBERT, who succeeded his father as Baron de Umfraville, and became governor of the Castle of Forfar. He married Matilda, Countess of Angus, and died in 1308; had
- XVI. — ROBERT, second Earl of Angus, who married Lady Alianore, by whom he had
- XVII. — THOMAS, Sir Thomas de Umfraville, of Harbottle, who married Joane, daughter of Adam de Rodam, and had
- XVIII. — THOMAS, Sir Thomas de Umfraville, Lord of Kiddesdale, who married Lady Agnes; had

- XIX. — JOANE, who married Sir William Lambert, of Owlton, Durham, and had
- XX. — ROBERT LAMBERT, of Owlton, who had son
- XXI. — HENRY LAMBERT, of Ongar, Essex, who had
- XXII. — ELIZABETH LAMBERT, who married Thomas Lyman, of Navistoke, who died in 1509; had
- XXIII. — HENRY LYMAN, of Navistoke and High Ongar, who married Alicia, daughter of Simon Hyde, of Wethersfield, Essex; had
- XXIV. — JOHN LYMAN, of High Ongar, who married Margaret, daughter of William Girard, of Beauchamp, Essex. He died at Navistoke in 1587; had
- XXV. — HENRY LYMAN, of High Ongar, who had
- XXVI. — RICHARD LYMAN, born at High Ongar, England, in 1590 (baptized Oct. 30, 1580), and came to this country with John Elliot in the ship "Lion;" at Newbury, Mass., in 1631; moved to Hartford, Conn., where he was one of the original proprietors; there died in 1640; wife Sarah died soon after; had
- XXVII. — RICHARD LYMAN, born in England (baptized Feb. 24, 1618), who came to America with his father; married Hepzibah, daughter of Thomas Ford, who came to this country in 1630 in the ship "Mary and John." Richard had
- XXVIII. — HEPZIBAH, born at Windsor, Conn.; married, Nov. 6, 1662, Josiah Dewey, born at Windsor in 1641 (baptized Oct. 10, 1641), who was the son of Thomas Dewey, who in 1633 emigrated to this country from Sandwich, Kent Co., England. Josiah had son
- XXIX. — JOSIAH DEWEY, born Dec. 24, 1666; married, Jan. 15, 1691, Mehitable Miller, born July 10, 1666, at Northampton, Mass.; had
- XXX. — JOHN DEWEY, born Dec. 4, 1700; married, Nov. 20, 1726, Experience Woodward, born Aug. 10, 1704, daughter of John and Experience (Baldwin) Woodward and granddaughter of Henry and Ann (Dewey) Bald-

win, thus giving to the descendants of John two Dewey ancestral lines. This John was a brother of William Dewey, ancestor of Admiral George Dewey, who May 1, 1898, gained the great naval victory in Manila Bay. John had

XXXI. — ANNA DEWEY, born Oct. 23, 1727, who, Dec. 22, 1748, married Ezekiel Caulkins, born Nov. 4, 1728, great-great-grandson of Hugh Caulkins, the pioneer, who came to this country from Monmouth, England, in 1640. Ezekiel had

XXXII. — ANNA CAULKINS, born Sept. 2, 1757; married, May 15, 1777, Abel English, born July 4, 1755, grandson of Richard English, born in England, and emigrated to this country in May, 1710; great-grandson of David English, of England, born 1661 and died Sept. 6, 1704. Abel had

XXXIII. — SOPHIA ENGLISH, born April 12, 1793; married, March 9, 1820, Alfred Hodge, born March 9, 1795, descendant of John Hodge and Susanna Denslow, married Aug. 12, 1666. Alfred had

XXXIV. — MANDANA S. HODGE, born Jan. 4, 1821.

XXXIV. — ALFRED A. HODGE, born Feb. 22, 1825.

XXXIV. — ORLANDO J. HODGE, born Nov. 25, 1828.



TO THE MEMORY

OF MY SON AND ONLY CHILD,

Clark Roberts Hodge,

BORN JULY 16, 1857, AND DIED NOVEMBER 20, 1880,

THIS VOLUME

IS AFFECTIONATELY DEDICATED.

Clark was a young man of generous impulses, great energy, and exemplary life. A few months before his death he had happily married and entered into business pursuits with animation and high hopes.

O. T. H.

IN FRIENDSHIP'S CROWN.

"Fast as the rolling seasons bring
The hour of fate to those we love,
Each pearl that leaves the broken string
Is set in friendship's crown above.
As narrower grows the earthly chain,
The circle widens in the sky;
These are our treasures that remain,
But those are stars that beam on high."

Oliver Wendell Holmes.

SUCCESSIVE GENERATIONS.

"Like leaves on trees the race of man is found,
Now green in youth, now withering on the ground;
Another race the following spring supplies,
They fall successive and successive rise;
So generations in their cause decay;
So flourish these when those have passed away."

Alexander Pope.

THE SHADOWY PAST.

"Gather we from the shadowy past
The struggling beams which linger yet,
Ere o'er those flickering lights is cast
The shroud that none can penetrate."

Platt Rogers Spencer.

THE TRUMPET.

"The trumpet! the trumpet! the dead have all heard;
To the depths of the stone-covered charnel are stirr'd;
From the sea, from the land, from the south, and the north,
The vast generations of man may come forth."

Henry Hart Milman.

PREFATORY REMARKS.

THE desire to know something of our ancestors is very general, and the greater the knowledge acquired the more interesting the subject becomes. For years I felt that at least I should like to know my own family line in this country, but had little or no time to devote to researches in that direction.

Finally, however, about the year 1876, I took up the matter with some zeal and soon became much interested in genealogy. Since then I have devoted such spare time as I could to compiling this work. During the years that have elapsed I have searched through the musty records of several hundred churches, towns, and probate courts. I have looked through State archives, genealogical works, and old family manuscripts, as would seem almost without number. Not only this, but I have visited very many of the old grave-yards in the New England States, talked with the "oldest inhabitants" here and there, written more than a thousand letters of inquiry, and travelled in search of information many times that number of miles. But notwithstanding my earnest labors, I am not unmindful that my work is far from complete. My ardent hope, however, is that some person in the near future may take up the subject where I leave it, and give a

more full and interesting history of the Hodge families in this country than it has been possible for me to do at this time. If in the publication of the facts I have gathered, the genealogical taste of those of our name and family, now living, or those who may come after, may be gratified, even in some small degree, I shall feel that my labors have not been altogether in vain. Criticism is invited, and letters pointing out errors that may be found will be thankfully received. Such letters will be preserved with a view to a revised edition by some one in the future.

My expectations are fulfilled. Thanks are due to Mr. Almon D. Hodges, of Boston, Mass., for much valuable information. During the preparation of his work, — "The Hodges Family of New England," — lately published, we have had occasion to exchange notes very often. Hodge and Hodges, now two distinct names in this country, in the old records are sometimes confounded, and it has often been difficult to determine whether a name was intended for one or the other. Rev. M. G. Hodge, of Wisconsin, and his daughters have furnished interesting facts with a readiness and fulness which, had some others equally interested emulated it, would have greatly lessened my labors. Hon. Norman Hodge, of Danbury, Conn., an octogenarian, has given me valuable copies of town, probate, and family records. My wife, Virginia, has been invaluable in tracing out "family links" and in the general assistance she has given me. Others who have aided me I must thank in a general way.

THE AUTHOR.

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INTRODUCTORY CHAPTER.

“WHAT’S in a name?” says Shakespeare. The query at first suggests that there is very little, but further thought leads to the conclusion that there is very much. It is evident that individual names in great part have come, as another has observed, from some circumstance of birth, incident in life, or good desired. Tacitus tells us how Germanicus, always a popular general, having had a son born to him in camp, dressed the lad like a little soldier, complete even to his boots (*caliga*), in the hope of pleasing his men. The men of course made a pet of him and called him Caligula, or Little Boots, and it is by his camp nickname of Little Boots that Claudius, son of Germanicus, lives in history to this day.

Cameron, it is said, was given, signifying crooked nose; while Turn-bull, now Trumbull, had its origin in the fact that a man in one of the parks of Scotland *turned* a mad bull, and thereby saved the life of a gentleman of distinction. The incident is said to have occurred in 1315. Leyden has put the supposed facts in verse, as follows:

“On Scotia’s lord he rushed with speed,
Bent his strong neck to toss the startled steed;
His arms robust the hardy hunter flung
Around his bending horns, and upwards wrung,
With writhing force his neck retorted round,
And rolled the panting monster on the ground,
Crushed with enormous strength his bony skull;
And courtiers hailed the man who *turned* the bull.”

Godman, Christian, and other like names undoubtedly were given with a view to influence the persons thus named to be worthy followers of Christian doctrines, or because the individuals had already been zealous in the faith.

Anderson in his work on surnames says: "The sobriquets perpetuated as surnames originally mostly were given from the person's general appearance, or the color of the skin or hair, hence White, Black, Brown, Gray, and Green, or supposed likeness of the animal creation, as Lyon, Bull, Lamb, Wolf, Hogg (which does not mean a pig or sow, but a lamb a year old), and Tod, which is the Scotch name for Fox."

Mr. Anderson might have extended his list of names representing colors by adding Blue, Pink, Purple, Red, Scarlet, and Violet, and to the animal kingdom have added Buck, Bullock, Catt, Cattle, Colt, Coon, Hare, Kidd, Mink, Mouse, Seal, Squirrel, Stag, and others. There are many persons bearing these names. Almost every part of the human body is represented in the names of persons, as Arm, Beard, Blood, Bone, Brain, Chin, Face, Finger, Foote, Gall, Hand, Head, Heart, Hipp, Kidney, Legg, Nose, Thum, and Tongue. The fishes of the sea are represented in the names Bass, Fish, Pike, Salmon, Sturgeon, Trout, and Whale. For the cardinal points of the compass we have East, North, South, and West, with their derivatives.

The birds of the air furnish a large number of surnames, viz.: Bird, Chicken, Crane, Crow, Dove, Finch, Fowl, Hawk, Hen, Heron, Lark, Linnet, Martin, Nightingale, Owl, Parrot, Peacock, Pigeon, Quail, Robin, Sparrow, Stork, Swallow, Turkey, Woodcock, and Wren, besides Goose, Gosling, and Drake. The insects give us Bee, Beetle, Bugg, Grasshopper, Locust, Natt, Roach,

and some others. The trees of the forest have furnished for man many names, as Ash, Beech, Birch, Cherry, Chestnut, Hazel, Maple, Oakes, Pine, and Plum. In fact, almost everything animate and inanimate has been brought into use in giving names to individuals. Attached to wills now on record among the archives in London, it is said, among other strange names the following odd ones appear: Cheeke, Demon, Fiend, Honey, Idle, Lane, Lazy, Mudd, Pighead, Poker, Punch, Shadow, Sponge, Vile, Villain, and Vittles. But these are not the only strange names that have come to notice. Here are a few of persons now known to be living: Allshine, Ape, Apple, Bald, Barefoot, Bean, Beer, Birdseye, Birth, Bitter, Blizzard, Box, Brass, Brick, Bridegroom, Broom, Bush, Buster, Button, Cake, Clove, Coffee, Coffin, Cold, Corn, Corns, Coward, Crack, Crank, Crumb, Crutch, Custard, Damm, Deadman, Death, Devil, Doctor, Dollar, Doughnut, Dress, Drinkwater, Drugs, Dust, Fig, Fight, Flicker, Flutter, Forger, Freshwater, Fritter, Frog, Frog-leg, Frost, Froth, Gamble, Garlick, Gin, Greathead, Grief, Grissel, Gunn, Ham, Hell, Hellspopper, Horseleg, Hot, Huckleberry, Ice, Ink, Iron, Ivory, Jump, Kick, Kiss, Lady-smitten, Lake, Leek, Life, Lilly, Liquor, Longbrake, Looney, Love, Moon, Moonshine, Mustard, Onion, Pancake, Paradise, Peas, Peck, Pepper, Pickle, Pigg, Pillman, Piper, Prettyman, Proudhouse, Rainwater, Rakestraw, Razor, Reason, Rice, Sadler, Sage, Sass, Sauce, School, Scripture, Seedhouse, Sickman, Silly, Silver, Small, Snow, Soup, Stradling, Straw, Strongfellow, Sunshine, Sweet, Talker, Tarbox, Tea, Trott, Trotter, Trunk, Turnipseed, Voice, Wagonseller, Walklate, Warmbread, Weary, Weed, Well, Wheat, Whetstone, Whiskey, Wildman, Wind, Wink, Winter, and Wire.

The great poet, no doubt, was quite right in saying :

“ That which we call a rose,
By any other name would smell as sweet.”

However, had he thought of some of the names borne by men, such as Devil, Demon, Fiend, Vile, Villain, Whiskey, and others we have given, he might not have asked, “What's in a name?”

The name Hodge does not appear to have come from any of the sources we have mentioned, but had its origin in the name Roger. What Roger sprang from is unknown. The name is supposed to be of Norman-French origin, and is now common in every civilized country. In France it is Roger; in Spain, Pogerio; in Russia, Kozer; in Poland, Rydygier; in Germany, Roger or Riidiger; in Italy, Rogero or Ruggiers; and in Norway, Raadgier. In the British Museum may be seen a “History of Devonshire, England, by Rev. Thomas Moore,” in which the author says: “One Rogers, the Cistercian, writer of legends, who flourished in about the year 1180, wrote one [a legend] of St. Ursula, who with her thousand virgins [not ten thousand, as some writers have since made the number] suffered martyrdom.”

According to the “Patronymica Britannica,” a Roman knight and valiant follower of William the Conqueror, named Roger, after the Conquest, 1066, settled in Scotland, and from him came the name Hodge. From Roger first came Oger, then Odger, Hodger, and finally Hodge. (See English “Doomsday Book.”) In England among the common people the name is generally pronounced as though spelled Odge, after the old English mode, giving the *h* no sound.

Charlotte M. Yonge, in her writings on "Christian Names," says Hodge was once a "famous knightly name."

The English-Teutonic meaning is "spear of fame."

From Hodge have come Hodges, Hodgson, Hodgkin, Hodgkins, Hodgkinson, Hodgkin, Hodgman, Hodgdon, Hodd, Hodson, Hotchkiss, and some other similar names.

In the mother country the name Hodge has not been altogether unknown to distinction. Mr. P. R. Hodge, of London, wrote several works on steam-engines, and it is claimed that he was the first to establish a hydraulic table, by which engineers might know the weight in pounds, and imperial gallons, and the cubic feet, in cylindrical pipe.

Commander Andrew Hodge, of the eighteen-gun brig "Superieure," midshipman J. T. Hodge, of the seventy-four-gun ship "Belleisle," and midshipman John Hodge, of the seventy-four-gun ship "Defiance," all served under the great English naval commander Lord Nelson. The two latter were with Nelson in the memorable engagement at Trafalgar, when the French fleet was destroyed and Nelson killed. Both are mentioned among the wounded.

Sir Edward Cooper Hodge, K.C.B., is a son of Major Edward Hodge, late of the Seventh Hussars. He was in the Crimean war, and served with distinction in the engagements at Balaclava, Inkerman, and Sevastopol. He now (1899) holds the rank of general in the English army, and is an officer of the Legion of Honor.

Robert Bonan Hodge died in England many years since, leaving a large property, and his heirs were advertised for; but let no Hodge in this country build any castles in the hope that he may pay for them by an inheritance from this or any other Hodge estate in that country. Rest assured that there is no "ship" to "come over."

These and others in England of the Hodge name who

might be mentioned are too remotely connected with the Hodge families in this country to merit further notice.

The Hodge name has been distinguished by the bestowal of crests and coats-of-arms both in England and Scotland; but it should be remembered that these heraldic devices are not bestowed upon names but upon individuals, and such persons alone, and their direct descendants, have a right to use them. In early days they were usually given on account of some service to the government, but not infrequently for the purpose of raising money. We read in an English work how a man by the name of Hodge was importuned for £40 on account of a bestowal to him of a coat-of-arms. It is quite possible he did not consider the honor of the bestowal worth the money. Certain it is that a "coat-of-arms" conferred on some ancestor, centuries ago, brings little honor to an American descendant of to-day, and time spent in searching for evidence of such bestowals perhaps could be better used.

Says Hollister, in his "History of Connecticut": "We find from actual examination that four-fifths of the landed proprietors of Hartford, Weathersfield, and Windsor had Arms of Heraldry granted to them in Great Britain."

Whether or not our great ancestor in this country, who married and lived in Windsor, came under the head of the "four-fifths" mentioned by Mr. Hollister, we are unable to say. Simply as a matter of curiosity we give a description of both the English and Scotch crests and coats-of-arms at some period in the past bestowed upon persons by the name of Hodge:

HODGE CRESTS AND COATS-OF-ARMS.

English. — Crest, an eagle rising looking at the sun.

" Coat-of-arms, a chevron surmounted by a pale.

Scotch. — Crest, a garb entwined with two serpents.

“ Coat-of-arms, a chevron between two amulets.

In this country the name Hodge is more general than we had supposed. The descendants of John Hodge, whose line we have particularly traced, are to be found in nearly every Eastern, Northern, and Western State. Research has established the fact that several other families bearing the name Hodge had an early origin in the “New World.”

Charles Hodge lived in Lyme, Conn., certainly as early as 1686, at which time he was married. From Lyme he moved to New Haven. Savage, in his “Genealogical Dictionary of New England,” calls him Hodges, but we carefully examined the old records, in both Lyme and New Haven, and only in one instance found the name spelled Hodges, while it is written many times Hodge or Hodge.

The New Haven records have it Hodge in every instance, and the children and descendants, down to the present time, have all been called Hodge. We believe Charles was a younger brother of John, our great progenitor. They both lived for a time in Lyme, and both were there when John died. After John's death Charles moved to New Haven, where certainly one, and probably two, of John's children had already located. John named his first son after himself and called his second Thomas, while Charles gave the name Thomas to his first son. These facts lead to a supposition that the father of John and Charles may have been a Thomas Hodge. The line of descent of this Charles Hodge has been traced with a good deal of care. A large number of the descendants now reside in Fairfield County, Conn. Hon. Norman Hodge, of Danbury, is one of the number.

Nicholas Hodge, the records show, emigrated to this country as early as 1653. He came from Northumberland County, Eng., and settled in Rye, N.H. Mrs. Effic Caroline Currier, 560 Tremont street, Boston, Mass., daughter of Mr. Charles M. Hodge, of Boston, who died in 1894, is one of his descendants.

William Hodge, of the north of Ireland, who died there Jan. 4, 1723, had three sons, William, Andrew, and Hugh, all of whom came to this country in 1730, and settled in Philadelphia, Pa. From this line came Rev. Charles Hodge, the great theologian of Princeton, N.J., who married a great-granddaughter of Benjamin Franklin. The family was prominent in the struggle of the colonies for independence. Among the descendants there have been a large number of professional men.

George Hodge was brought to this country in 1733, at the time of the great Scotch-Irish emigration. He was then but four years old. A large number of his descendants now live in Massachusetts, among whom is Mrs. Harriet M. Plunket, of Pittsfield, whose father was Henry Hodge.

Nehemiah Hodge, says Mr. Ambrose W. Hodge, late of North Adams, Mass., came to this country from England probably about 1735, and settled in Rhode Island. Nehemiah had a son, David, who had seven children, one of whom, Otis, had eleven. Thomas, one of the sons of Otis, had seven sons, the youngest being the above-named Ambrose W. A number of the descendants of Nehemiah now reside in North Adams.

Rev. William Hodge, about 1825, came to the United States from Aberdeen, Scotland. He brought with him five sons and four daughters. Several of the family are manufacturers in the Eastern States. Hon. George L.

Hodge, of Windsor, Conn., late state treasurer of Connecticut, is of this family.

In another part of this work is given something more of these families. Others of the name Hodge, of whom less is known, are placed under the head "Unclassified."

In the great struggle for liberty—the Revolutionary war—the name Hodge appears to have been well represented. It is found that in three States, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, and Connecticut, more than fifty men bearing the name were in the Continental army. Certainly ten or more of these were descendants of Samuel Hodge, son of John Hodge, of the Connecticut family. This Samuel settled in Glastonbury, Conn., and had three sons, one of whom was named John.

Glastonbury now has a large number of families by the name of Hodge, and they are all descendants of this last-mentioned John. In 1894 seventeen of the name were enrolled as electors, and it was told by a well-informed resident of the town that every one of these seventeen Hodge voters, on election day, was sure to be at the polls and vote the straight Democratic ticket. It is safe to say that of the descendants who left Connecticut and scattered over the country, not one in seventeen holds to the political faith of his Glastonbury cousins. An experienced horticulturist says: "A tree transplanted is often greatly improved."

In conclusion, we may be pardoned for saying—and it is said with some feeling of satisfaction—that while our family name may not have been made illustrious by any great deed, it has not, so far as we know, been tarnished by any unworthy act.

THE COMPILER.

NAMES IN DIFFERENT FORMS.

EARLY church and town records are not always to be relied upon. It is not uncommon to find that one conflicts with the other. Nicknames are often given for real names, and sometimes the name of the same person is given in several ways.

A female at her birth may be called Mary, at her marriage Molly, and at her death Polly.

Sometimes Ann, Anna, Anne, Nancy, and Hannah are used to designate the same woman. The following are some of the names that appear in this work in more than one form:

Adalaide, Adele, and Ada.
Abigail, Abby, Nabla, and Nabby.
Alice, Allis, and Ellis.
Ann, Anna, Anne, and Nancy.
Asel, Ashel, and Asahel.
Caroline and Carrie.
Catherine, Katharine, and Kate.
Clara, Clarissa, and Cara.
Dorothy and Dolly.
Eleanor, Ella, Ellen, Helen, and Nellie.
Isabel and Belle.
Joan, Joanna, and Johannah.
Margaretta, Margaret, and Peggy.
Mary, Molly, and Polly.
Sarah, Sally, and Sallie.
Susan, Susanna, and Susannah.
Virginia, Jennie, and Jenny.

WARS

IN WHICH THE COLONIES OR STATES PARTICIPATED.

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| Pequot Indian | 1637 |
| King Philip's | 1675-1676 |
| King William's | 1689-1697 |
| Queen Anne's | 1702-1732 |
| King George's | 1744-1748 |
| French-Indian | 1754-1763 |
| Revolutionary | 1775-1783 |
| Second English | 1812-1814 |
| Mexican-United States | 1846-1848 |
| Great Rebellion | 1860-1865 |
| Spanish-American | 1898 |

OTHER CONFLICTS.

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| Bacon's (Nathaniel) Rebellion | 1676 |
| Pontiac's War | 1763-65 |
| Shay's (Daniel) Rebellion | 1786 |
| Whiskey Insurrection | 1794 |
| Fries (John) Insurrection | 1799 |
| Carolina's Nullification | 1832 |
| "Black Hawk's War " | 1832-33 |
| "Patriot War " (Canada) | 1837-38 |
| Dorr's (Thomas W.) Rebellion | 1842 |
| Brown's (John) Invasion | 1859 |
| "Fenian War " (Canada) | 1866 |
| Philippine | 1899- |

EXPLANATIONS.

O.S. when added to the date of a year means, as is generally known, that the year given is reckoned according to the old style; and when N.S. follows it means new style.

From about the fourteenth century to 1752, in England and her colonies, the legal year began March 25; but some of the other nations, at an earlier date, had established January 1 as the beginning of the year. Even in England and her colonies, before 1752, when the change to January 1 was made legal, that date was looked upon as the proper one to designate the commencement of a new year.

Hence to avoid ambiguity arose the custom of double dating the years for the time between January 1 and March 25. Thus 1620/1, 1620-1, or 1621, meant 1620, O.S., and 1621, N.S. In all cases in this work where neither O.S. nor N.S. is added to the date of the year, and two dates are not given, the reader will understand that the date given is as we would write it now.

GENERATIONS — HOW TRACED.

The different generations, in genealogical order, are denoted by exponents placed after the Christian names.

Thus Benjamin¹ Hodge Samuel², John³ means that John is of the first generation, Samuel of the second, and Benjamin of the third. So far as possible we have given each name a number, believing that this would better facilitate a correct understanding. Those carried forward, as heads of families, are designated by heavier-faced type. The line of a family may be easily traced by following the numbers. Thus, John Hodge (No. 1, 35) will be seen, had, among other children, a son Samuel (No. 12). On a succeeding page, in regular numerical order, the number again will be found preceding the name. Samuel, as will be found, had a son Benjamin (No. 47). Trace as before, and so on from one generation to another to the youngest child born.

By reversing the rule, lines may be traced the other way.

ABBREVIATIONS.

Abt., about; app., apparently; b., born; bap., baptized; chil., child or children; dau., daughter; d., died; div., divorced; gr., grand; gt., great; hus., husband; m., married; m. (1), first marriage; m. (2), second marriage, and so on; per., perhaps; prob., probably; pub., published; rec., record; res., residence or resides; s., son; unm., unmarried; w., wife; wid., widow or widower.

MULTIPLICITY OF ANCESTORS.

Take pencil and multiply: You had two parents, four grandparents, etc. Twice two are four, twice four are eight, etc., and you will find that in the twentieth generation you had 1,048,576 ancestors, without counting the intermediate generations, and in the thirtieth generation you had over a thousand millions of ancestors, without counting those between yourself and the thirtieth. Allowing thirty-three years for a generation, these thirty generations carry you back less than one thousand years.

HODGE GENEALOGY.

FIRST GENERATION.

1. JOHN HODGE.

Born about 1643; married, Aug. 12, 1666, SUSANNA DENSLOW, born Sept. 3, 1646, daughter of Henry Denslow, who was killed by the Indians in Windsor, Conn., April 4, 1676. (See No. 7, Denslow Family.) Some publications give the date of marriage August "1," but we closely examined the original record in Windsor, Conn., where the marriage took place, and found the entry plainly written August "12." Mr. Hodge died in Lyme, Conn., 1692-4, probably the former year, and Mrs. Hodge died after 1694 and before 1699, probably Aug. 26, 1698. Mr. Hodge was a resident of what is now the town of Clinton, Middlesex County, Conn., as early as Dec. 28, 1663. The town of Clinton until 1840 was a part of the town of Killingworth, which originally was called the Hammanasset Plantation, "that lyeth between Guilford and Saybrook," and was settled in October, 1663, by inhabitants chiefly from Hartford, Windsor, and Guilford. The General Assembly of the Colony of Connecticut of that year appointed a committee of three persons to establish "binding rules" for the settlement of the plantation. In March, 1664, an act was passed incorporating the town. One of the first settlers was Edward Griswold, and out of respect to him the town was called Killingworth, which

was the birthplace, in England, of the Griswolds of Connecticut.

The ninth rule adopted by the committee provided: "There shall be thirty families on the east side of the Hammanasset river, at the least." Of the first twenty admitted by the committee, ten soon left. Others, however, came, so that Dec. 28, 1663, the whole number of planters was twenty-eight, John Hodge, as appears by the records of the town, being one of the number. He had assigned him lot No. 27, which is described in the town records:

"Granted from the Plantation for a home-lot, six acres more or less, being sixty rods more or less in length, in breadth at the south end five rods and a half, at the northerly end thirty one rods more or less, bounded southerly by the highway until it comes within five rods of the swamp, according to the marked trees, home to the rock hill where he is bounded northerly by the rocks, westerly by the land of Henry Crane, and southerly by the front highway." This "home lot" is now a portion of the easterly part of the village of Clinton. Mr. Hodge also became possessed of the following parcels of land, but the records give no dates: "Upon a point of land adjoining the Neck Land westerly side, all the remainder of the Point to the meadow; northwesterly and southerly home to the land of Josiah Hull, Jr." "In the cove lot, that is by William Hayden's house-lot, all the land from the northerly end of said cove . . . down to the land of Henry Crane." By exchange with William Hayden three acres and a half of meadow, more or less, at the Long point. "Adjoining to his home lot at the northerly end of it two acres, more or less." "Two acres more or less . . . bounded northwest by the highway, northeast by the Pond, east by a brook, west by a swamp." He also held,

by gift from the town, one acre and a quarter near William Barber's land in the "Planting Field Quarter;" also another piece, "three quarters of an acre." There is an entry, Jan. 30, 1671 (O.S.), of a purchase by him of two acres of meadow from Edward Griswold. These small tracts of land, bounded in great part by rocks, coves, ponds, brooks, and swamps, show something of the nature of the country where he lived. No wonder each parcel in the description contained the words "more or less."

Mr. Hodge evidently had for near neighbors Edward Griswold, William Hayden, Josiah Hull, William Barber, and Henry Crane, all of whom were men of importance in the new settlement. After spending nearly three years improving his lands, and no doubt having built himself a house, between haying and harvesting time, in the summer of 1666 he visited Windsor, from which town, perhaps, he had emigrated to Killingworth with a number of others who went from that town. It is quite evident he had some acquaintance with the Denslow family of that place. Here he married and with his wife soon returned to his home in the then called "Hammanasset Wilderness." Mr. Hodge is believed to have remained in Killingworth until about 1670, when, as may be supposed, becoming disgusted, as many others appear to have been, with the swamps and wilds of that region, he moved to Windsor, where the parents of his wife were still living. Mr. Denslow, his wife's father, owned at that time a large tract of land, a good portion of that which now constitutes the town of Windsor Locks. About the time Mr. Hodge changed his residence Mr. Denslow gave to Mrs. Hodge, his daughter, eighty acres of this land. Though no deed was executed, after Mr. Denslow's death, in 1676, the land was claimed by Mrs. Hodge, and eventually went to her children.

It is quite probable that this gift of land may have had some influence in causing Mr. Hodge to change his residence, but there is no record or evidence showing that he ever located on or cultivated the land.

The town of Suffield, which adjoins Windsor on the north, was incorporated June 3, 1674. The names of the first grantors are given in the "Memorial History of Hartford," Vol. 2, page 385, and number one hundred. Of this number, sixty-two were married and the balance were unmarried. Mr. Hodge appears as the thirty-fifth person on the list. It is recorded that the land in the town was heavily wooded, and for this reason the General Court gave the settlers for several years special privileges in exemption from taxes. The town at this time, and until 1749, was held to be a part of Hampton County, Mass. Sept. 14, 1674, Mr. Hodge had allotted to him sixty acres of land in the town, but it is doubtful whether he became a resident of the town until some time later, as several children born to him after 1674 are recorded as having been born in Windsor.

June 12, 1678, a committee of the town voted that Mr. Hodge should be allowed for a lot on which to build, a piece of land on the west side of High street about twelve rods wide, and to run back to Muddy brook. It was bounded on the north by land of Col. John Pynchon, who must have been a next-door neighbor. This land to be accounted as part of his allotment of sixty acres.

There were fifty-four acres set off to him lying west of the brook, from which we conclude the lot to "build on" contained about six acres. Some years later there was another allotment made by the town, when there was apportioned to Mr. Hodge forty-five acres.

While residing in Suffield, if at no other time, it appears

that Mr. Hodge was not always as abstemious as a good temperance man ought to be. The court record shows that in 1683 he was required to give a bond for a better observance of his habit in this respect. At the next term of court, however, he was discharged, and we find no further evidence that there was any cause for complaint.

The settlers, with their high sense of what constituted good citizenship would allow no one to overstep their rigid rules. Yet, while they were strict in enforcing habits of temperance, it was a common thing at the ordination of ministers of the Gospel to have on hand a good supply of wines and liquors. We find that in the town of Glastonbury on one of these occasions no less than £10 was spent in this manner.

Descendants of some of the so-called, and often assumed to be, "first families" of Connecticut have sought to bury in oblivion misdeeds of their early progenitors in this country by the mutilation of records. In our researches two instances of this kind came to our notice, one in Glastonbury and one in Lyme. Better far that the truth be told than that old records be tampered with. It may readily be believed that most ancestral trees, like trees in the forest, have some crooked limbs.

Mr. Hodge was living in Suffield certainly as late as April 1, 1685, and probably until 1687. In 1688 and in 1691 he paid personal taxes in Lyme, and that he was living there at that time there is no doubt.

The records of the "First Church," Middletown, Conn., have this entry: "Sept. 18, 1692, Samuel, Susanna, and Abigail Hodge, being the children of Susanna Hodge, of the church in Windsor, were baptized by communion of churches, their mother owning the covenant."

In the land records of Windsor the following is found, under date June 18, 1694, signed by Susanna Hodge : " I, Susanna Hodge, of Lyme, in the County of New London, formerly the wife of John Hodge, Doo fully, freely absolvedly and forever absolve, acquit and Discharge my brother, Samuel Denslow, from all further and future demand, in Reference to any part of the estate of my honored father, Henry Denslow, or my said mother, . . . and do acknowledge to have received in full my just right." Mr. Hodge, it is very evident, at this time was dead.

The following is a copy of a quitclaim deed made Feb. 2, 1700 (N.S.), by John Hodge, eldest son of John Hodge, Sr., which was entered for record the 6th of March following: " In consideration of eighteen shillings, I quit claim, to Samuel Denslow, all my right in a parcel of land given by my grand father, Henry Denslow, deceased, to my mother Susanna Hodge, and to her children . . . east on the river [Connecticut] fifty rods, west from the river, into the woods, eighty rods, north, on the common, and south, on the land of said Samuel Denslow, one sixth part, as it lies undivided betwixed myself and my brothers and sisters."

May 13, 1700 (N.S.), Joseph Hodge, of Springfield, Mass., and William Hodge, of New Haven, two of the other sons of John Hodge, Sr., quitclaimed to Samuel Denslow their one-sixth interest in the above land for twelve shillings. This amount, as would appear from the deed, was all they both received — six shillings each, or one-third the amount paid their brother John, the elder son. We find no record of any quitclaim deeds from any of the other children. This is the land given to Mrs. Hodge and her children by her father Henry Denslow, when she and her husband gave up their residence in Killingworth

and went to Windsor. Upon it now stands the railroad depot at Windsor Locks.

March 22, 1737, four acres of land which had been laid out to John Hodge, Sr., in Suffield, forty-five years previous, which was a part of the "second division" of land in that town, was quitclaimed by John Hodge, his son, who then lived in Windsor. We could find no record of any quitclaims from any of the other children.

Mr. Hodge, the progenitor, was the father of eleven children, the first of whom is named in the record of births at Killingworth, now Clinton; the next five are found on the records of Windsor and the last five appear to have been born in Suffield. One, William, is entered on the records both in Windsor and Suffield.

We have been unable to get any trace of three of the daughters, and but little in regard to some of the sons.

It was usual in early days to name the first son after the father, and the second after the paternal grandfather.

It will be observed that Mr. Hodge called his first son John, his second Thomas,* and another Henry, the name borne by his wife's father.

Eleven children, some of whom probably died young:

2. JOHN HODGE, b. June 16, 1667.
3. THOMAS HODGE, b. Feb. 13, 1669.

* The parish register of Bicester, Oxford County, England, says: "May 3, 1583," Thomas Hodge was baptized in the church of St. Edbury, in that town. (St. Edbury church was erected about 1400. Bicester is a town of about two thousand inhabitants, near Oxford and fifty-eight miles from London.) John Hodge, the first of our family in this country, so far as known, came, as is supposed, from England, and it is *possible* that this Thomas Hodge of Bicester was either his father or his grandfather.

We give these facts with a view to aiding any search that may be made in the direction indicated.

4. MARY HODGE, b. Feb. 15, 1671.
5. JOSEPH HODGE, b. Dec. 14, 1672.
6. BENJAMIN HODGE,* b. June 17, 1674.
7. HENRY HODGE, b. Aug. 19, 1676.
8. WILLIAM HODGE, b. April 20, 1678.
9. ELIZABETH HODGE, b. Feb. 13, 1680.
10. SUSANNA HODGE, b. Dec. 10, 1682.
11. ABIGAIL HODGE, b. March 7, 1684.
12. SAMUEL HODGE, b. Oct. 4, 1686.

SECOND GENERATION.

2. JOHN² HODGE (*John*¹).

Born June 16, 1667; married a woman whose first name was MARGARET. He was alive and a resident of Suffield as late as March 22, 1737, at which time he was seventy years of age. Jan. 22, 1696, he owed a debt of £10, and gave a mortgage to secure the payment of the same. The mortgage covered "six acres of land" in Greenfield (Bloomfield), a part of the town of Windsor, a dun-colored horse, a gray-colored mare, colt, three swine, one two years old, one one year old, one shote, and two goats. This mortgage was not put on record until July 9, 1709, thirteen years later. Feb. 2, 1700, Mr. Hodge was living in Windsor. At that date he purchased of Thomas Kelso, also of Windsor, "one mansion house, with nine acres of land in Scotland, within the township of Simsbury," which adjoins Windsor on the north, then held to be a part of Massachusetts. He probably moved

* A Benj. Hodge, Dec. 3, 1709, among many others ("more than sixty families"), petitioned for a new town in New Hampshire, near Exeter. (See Provincial Papers N.H., Vol. 3, part 2, p. 406.)

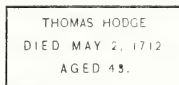
to Simsbury about that time, as a quitclaim deed executed the same day refers to him as of Simsbury. Other land records show that he was living in that town in 1712. His children, or such as we have any account of, were all born in Windsor.

Four children :

13. JOHN HODGE, b. July 26, 1694.
14. NATHANIEL * HODGE, b. June 16, 1696.
15. ASAHEL HODGE, b. Oct. 10, 1697
16. SUSANNA HODGE, b. May 30, 1699.

3. THOMAS² HODGE (*John*¹).

Born Feb. 13, 1669; married JUDITH, probably in 1693. He died May 2, 1712, in New or West Haven, Conn. A few years since we saw in the old West Haven cemetery, in which was a church, a stone upon which was inscribed :



This stone we believe has since been removed to give place to an addition to the church. That this Thomas² was the son of John¹, as here represented, we have little doubt, though the evidence is not conclusive. The inscription on the tombstone makes the year of birth the same, and we have no trace of any other Thomas of that

* Perhaps the Nathaniel who, March 1, 1728-9, appeared at Hampton Falls Court, in New Hampshire, in a land case where several were interested.

early day. After the death of Mr. Hodge, his widow, Judith, married Daniel Bristol, who by a former wife had eight children; he died May 15, 1728. After Bristol's death she married again.

Mr. Hodge evidently settled in New Haven, or in that vicinity, as early as June 25, 1694, as the land records of New Haven show that at that time he purchased of Benjamin Bowden thirty acres of land, "bounded on the common, eastward on Milford line and westward on land of John Downe." March 14, 1707, he deeded "woodland," in precinct of New Haven, called Wallingford. Wallingford was settled about 1670 by people chiefly from New Haven. Among those who took up land at that time in Wallingford, as shown by the land records, was one "Daniel Hogge," about whom we find nothing further. We are inclined to believe that this man's name was Hodge and that his name on the record became "Hogge" through poor spelling. The Thomas Hodge of whom we are speaking named his first son Daniel, and it is possible that this Daniel Hogge of Wallingford was some way related to him, and that the "woodland" in Wallingford which Thomas sold originally belonged to him. In the sale of the Wallingford land by Thomas no mention is made of any former owner.

On the same day the Wallingford land was deeded Mr. Hodge and his wife sold to Samuel Burwell sixteen acres of land situated near a place called "Oyster river." In the language of the deed it was "In the sixth year of the reign of our Sovereign Lady Ann by the Grace of God of England."

This sixteen acres comprised Mr. Hodge's homestead. The house in which he lived stood on the right-hand side of what was then called "Cove river," probably opposite

the "Point." The old homestead a few years since was owned by a man named Miller. For many years the portion of this land which projected into the river or cove was called "Hodge's point." July 23, 1712, letters of administration were granted on Mr. Hodge's estate to his widow. The amount of his property was inventoried at £202:04:04, or little more than a thousand dollars.

Nine children:

17. DANIEL HODGE, b. Jan. 28, 1694.
18. JESSE HODGE, b. Nov. 17, 1695. Jan. 6, 1724, administration was granted on his estate to his brother Daniel. The estate was divided among his brothers and sisters, the land on "Head Hill" being given to Daniel and Martha.
19. JUDITH HODGE, b. Oct. 8, 1697.
20. THOMAS HODGE, b. March 28, 1701.
21. MIRIAM HODGE, b. Aug. 13, 1703; d. young.
22. SUSANNA HODGE, b. Sept. 7, 1705; m., per. Nov. 5, 1737, George Clinton, of New Haven.
23. MARY HODGE, b. Nov. 5, 1707; m., Oct. 15, 1724, Samuel Seward, of Long Island.
24. MARTHA HODGE, b. Feb. 18, 1710.
25. MIRIAM HODGE, b. March 2, 1712.

5. JOSEPH² HODGE (*John*¹).

Born Dec. 14, 1672; married ANN "TRUMBLE" (Trumbull), born Aug. 1, 1681, daughter of Joseph and Hannah "Trumble." A brother of Ann had a son Jonathan, who became governor of Connecticut in 1754,—the "Brother Jonathan" of historical fame. The name for many years was Trumble and then became Trumbull.

In a quitclaim deed signed by Mr. Hodge, May 13, 1700, he is mentioned as being of Springfield, Mass. The deed was executed at Windsor, Conn. (See John Hodge, No. 1, for provisions.) He was a resident of West Springfield, Mass., April 7, 1707.

Would be glad to get further information in regard to this couple, or either of them.

7. HENRY² HODGE (*John*¹).

Born Aug. 19, 1676; married SARAH (perhaps WELCH), who, Oct. 11, 1724, became a member of the First Church in Griswold, then part of Preston, Conn. Mr. Hodge was already a member of this church. He is believed to have become a resident of the town in 1707. All his children were born in Preston, except possibly the last two. Perhaps had daughter Abigail baptized Aug. 2, 1713. He probably died in 1771; son John administrator.

Seven children:

30. DEBORAH HODGE, b. March 12, 1708.
31. SARAH HODGE, b. March 20, 1710; m., prob. Nov. 5, 1735.
John Guile, son of Samuel and Mary (Goppy) Guile.
32. RACHAEL HODGE, b. Dec. 20, 1711; bap. Feb. 6, 1712.
33. HANNAH HODGE, b. May 23, 1713; bap. June 12, 1715.
34. JOHN HODGE, b. Sept. 12, 1717; bap. April 27, 1718. He was administrator on the estate of "Henry Hodge, late of Voluntown," New London Co., taking directions of the Probate Court of the district of Plainfield, Windham Co., adjoining. The administration was probably upon the estate of his father. This action was taken in October, 1771.
35. HENRY HODGE, b. prob. 1719-20; bap. Sept. 25, 1720.
36. JONATHAN HODGE, bap. Aug. 27, 1723. (Griswold record.)

11. ABIGAIL² HODGE (*John*¹).

Born March 7, 1684; married, Dec. 10, 1717, GEORGE GILBERT, of Durham, Conn., who was killed by the falling of a tree Jan. 13, 1718 (Middletown record). In 1722 she is supposed to have married JEREMIAH LEMING, who

by a former wife, Abigail, had three children. By this marriage there were born

Seven children:

40. LUCY LEMING, b. Feb. 4, 1724.
41. ABIGAIL LEMING, b. April 8, 1725; d. young.
42. ABIGAIL LEMING, b. Dec. 4, 1726.
43. ELIZABETH LEMING, b. Dec. 2, 1728.
44. ESTHER LEMING, b. May 12, 1731.
45. JANE LEMING, b. March 6, 1733.
46. AARON LEMING, b. May 3, 1738.

12. SAMUEL² HODGE (*John*¹).

Born Oct. 4, 1686. There was a widow "SARAH HODGE," who died in Glastonbury May 31, 1781, who it is supposed was the widow of Samuel Hodge.

Some of his descendants claim that before marriage she was Sarah Dustin, born July 4, 1688, daughter of Thomas and Hannah Dustin, of Haverhill, Mass., whose Indian fame is historical.

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So far as we have been able to ascertain there is nothing reliable upon which to base this claim. As will hereafter be seen, some of the descendants of Thomas Hodge and Thomas Dustin intermarried and had children, who were given the name Dustin. Mr. Hodge died in Glastonbury, May 8, 1764. He was a land-holder in that town as early as 1712, and probably became a resident of the town about that time. Glastonbury was incorporated May 8, 1690. Prior to this time the inhabitants on the east side of the Connecticut river, opposite Weathersfield, belonged to the Weathersfield society, and one of the reasons given for the incorporation of the new town, and the establishing of another church, was the inaccessibility of the Weathersfield church.

The population of Glastonbury increased rapidly, especially the eastern portion, so that in May, 1731, a new society was organized in that part of the town, which took the name of Eastbury.

The language of the act in speaking of the boundaries says: "Including with others the farm of Samuel Hodge."

The post-office in that part of the town is now called Buckingham. In 1714 the fifth name on the list of "Polls and Estates" in Glastonbury was Samuel Hodge. Jan. 27, 1713, a tract of land containing six thousand acres, situated in the four easternmost miles of the town, was divided among the land-holders, being proportioned to them according to their tax list of the previous year. In this distribution Mr. Hodge received as his share thirty-six acres, which was not surveyed and recorded until 1730. The deed given to him by the commissioners speaks of the land as being "a little northwesterly of Nipsic Pond." Nov. 5, 1733, Mr. Hodge sold this land, with "orchard thereon," to Henry Hills for £90, about \$450 of our money.

Dec. 23, 1723, there was a second division of land in the town, and Mr. Hodge was allowed as his portion thirty-three acres and ninety-six rods. This land was in that part of Eastbury then called the "mile of common." It was surveyed and laid out to him Dec. 14, 1736. Jan. 18, 1735, Mr. Hodge purchased of Jonathan Strickland three acres of land. March 13, 1738, he sold the land he received in the second apportionment.

May 7, 1743, he again deeded land, and this is the last mention of his name on the land records of the town.

Mr. Hodge, we conclude, married much later in life than men usually do, and his wife quite likely was some years the younger. As will be seen, he lived to the age of

nearly eighty, and the "widow Sarah Hodge" survived him some seventeen years. We have tried hard to find some record of his marriage, but have been unable to do so. Nor could we find the dates of birth of his children. We only know that he had three sons, and that Benjamin, the youngest, calculating his age at the date of his death, which is definitely known, would make the date of his birth as we give it.

The records of the Second Congregational Church in Buckingham contain the names of several of our Hodge family, but a portion of the records have been spirited away, and are lost to the public. Rev. Alonzo B. Chapin, in his "Glastonbury for Two Hundred Years," speaks of some of the Glastonbury records as having been "carefully removed." If they had been alike "carefully" kept as they were "removed" they might furnish us information much desired.

There appears to have been trouble in the Glastonbury church at an early day, on account of persons failing to attend the services, and Feb. 17, 1714, the society voted that those who did not occupy their seats should pay a fine of fifteen shillings.

Whether or not Mr. Hodge was one of those who failed to "occupy his seat" we are not informed; possibly the "carefully removed" records might give some light on the subject.

Three children:

- 47. SAMUEL HODGE, b. about 1721.
- 48. JOHN HODGE, b. about 1725.
- 49. BENJAMIN HODGE, b. year 1731.

[Glastonbury was named after Glastonbury, England, where it is said was built the first Christian church in the world.]

THIRD GENERATION.

13. JOHN³ HODGE (*John², John¹*).

Born July 26, 1694; married, April 5, 1716-7, MARY STEEL, born Oct. 27, 1698, daughter of Barrit and Mary Steel, of Springfield, Mass. Mr. Hodge died in 1751. His first child was born in Springfield, Mass., and he may have resided there for a year or more, but he soon settled in Windsor, Conn., where he resided the balance of his life. Nov. 13, 1751, administration was granted on his estate to his sons-in-law, Eliakim Marshall, of Windsor, and Joel Thrall, of Torrington. His will is on record in the Probate Court office in Hartford. His estate for those days was quite large.

Six children:

51. ASAHEL HODGE, b. Oct. 3/4, 1717.
52. MARY HODGE, b. Feb. 24, 1719.
53. MARGARET HODGE, b. June 5, 1720.
54. SARAH HODGE, b. Feb. 24, 1722.
55. JOHN HODGE, b. July 11, 1724. When a boy he was bound out to William Hayden, of Windsor, but we have no knowledge as to what became of him thereafter.
56. THANKFUL HODGE, b. July 28, 1726; m., Nov. 28, 1744, Reuben Cook, b. Feb. 5, 1723, and d. in 1763. She d. June 17, 1758. Mr. Cook was a descendant of Capt. Aaron Cook, and served in the French-Indian war. His father's name was Richard.

17. DANIEL³ HODGE (*Thomas², John¹*).

Born Jan. 28, 1694; married ELEANOR BROWN, who is believed to have died in 1776. He died in 1785, at which time he was living in New Haven, Conn.

In the year 1720, according to an old record, he subscribed to a fund raised to pay for the ringing of a bell at

nine o'clock each night. Sept. 1, 1724, he and his brother Thomas agreed upon a division of certain lands in West Haven, at a place called "Oyster Meadow," or "Oyster River." The land very likely was a part of their father's estate, as the father owned land in that locality. Jan. 20, 1732, there was quitclaimed to him by William Blakeslee, "all right and title which the said William hath to certain land of their honored father," from which it would seem that Mr. Blakeslee married a sister of Mrs. Hodge. May 9, 1734, Tille and Mary (Brown) Blakeslee, husband and wife, released to Mr. Hodge and Ebenezer Trowbridge all title they held to certain property of their deceased grandfather. In the release Mr. Trowbridge is spoken of as the father-in-law of Mr. Hodge, which leads to the belief that Mr. Hodge's wife, Eleanor Brown, was a step-daughter of Mr. Trowbridge, or that before marrying Mr. Hodge she had a husband by the name of Brown. Mr. Trowbridge's wife's name, before marriage, was Hannah Brown, perhaps a widow, and mother of Eleanor.

Mr. Hodge was a manufacturer of lasts, giving a portion of his time to farming. His will, bearing date Jan. 4, 1762, was entered for probate March 7, 1785, twenty-three years after being made. To his son Daniel he gave all the land and buildings he owned in New Haven. All his children were provided for except Jesse and Rebecca, who are supposed to have been dead. The wife's estate was administrated by her son-in-law, Nathaniel Downs, who married her daughter Mary. At the time the administration was granted, July 3, 1776, Mr. Hodge was eighty-two years old. Oct. 27, 1734, he and all his children then born, five in number, were baptized and taken into the Episcopal Church at West Haven, the Rev. Samuel Johnson officiating.

Tradition in the family says Mr. Hodge was a most excellent man, greatly respected by all who knew him.

Eight children:

58. SARAH HODGE, b. May 19, 1726.
59. JESSE HODGE, b. March 11, 1728.
60. DANIEL HODGE, b. Dec. 12, 1729.
61. BENJAMIN HODGE, l. Feb. 22, 1732.
62. ELEANOR HODGE, b. May 25, 1734; d. Sept. 30, 1745.
63. MARY HODGE, b. July 24, 1736; m. Nathaniel Downs.
64. MARTHA HODGE, b. April 24, 1740; unm. when her mother died, 1776.
65. REBECCA HODGE, b. May 26, 1743.

19. JUDITH¹ HODGE (*Thomas², John¹*).

Born Oct. 8, 1697; married, Jan. 29, 1720, SAMUEL HALE, of Milford, Conn. Mr. Hale probably continued to reside in that town for some years at least, as the records show the birth of the following children:

Four children:

67. MIRIAM HALE, b. Aug. 23, 1720.
68. SAMUEL HALE, b. Oct. 26, 1721.
69. JESSE HALE, b. Aug. 22, 1723.
70. SUSANNA HALE, b. April 1, 1725; m., Oct. 30, 1746. Timothy Thomas.

20. THOMAS¹ HODGE (*Thomas², John¹*).

Born March 28, 1701; married MARY, whose full name has not been ascertained. He lived in or near New Haven, and there died in 1754. Sept. 1, 1724, he and his brother Daniel made a division of land, supposed to have been a part of their father's estate. (See Daniel Hodge, No. 17.) Oct. 12, 1735, Mrs. Hodge was a communicant of the First Episcopal Church in West Haven. Her hus-

band's brother Daniel (No. 17) and his family, as will be seen, belonged to the same church.

The record of children here given may be wrong as regards Mary and David. The latter possibly was the son of Thomas, Jr.

Six children, two in doubt:

- 72. MARY HODGE, per. b. July 24, 1736.
- 73. ESTHER HODGE, bap. Sept. 11, 1729.
- 74. THOMAS HODGE, bap. April 16, 1731. The probate records of New Haven have this entry: "April 7, 1741, George Clinton, husband of Ann Hodge, appointed guardian of Thomas, son of Thomas Hodge, Sr." In the record here referred to the wife of Mr. Clinton is called "Ann," but we think her full name was Susanna. (See No. 22.) Oct. 18, 1756, Mr. Hodge was a soldier in the French-Indian war, then stationed at Fort Mifflin, Henry.
- 75. WILLIAM HODGE, bap. Oct. 27, 1734. } Twins.
- 76. SAMUEL HODGE, bap. Oct. 27, 1734. }
- 77. DAVID HODGE. The probate records of New Haven say: "July, 1768, David Hodge, minor son of Thomas Hodge, late of Milford, had James Goldsmith appointed by the court as his guardian." It is possible that David was a son of Thomas, No. 74, instead of being his brother. He had for wife ANN, who, Oct. 3, 1793, had devised to her by Isaac Gunn, of Milford, eleven acres of land, a part of the "sequestered land." Mr. Hodge served in the Revolutionary war, and March 22, 1819, was placed on the pension roll. He was transferred from the Litchfield Co. Roll, Conn., to Chenango Co., N.Y., and it is supposed he died in that county.

24. MARTHA³ HODGE (*Thomas², John¹*).

Born Feb. 18, 1710; married, Jan. 19, 1727, BENJAMIN JONES, born Oct. 14, 1706, son of Benjamin and Hannah (Brown) Jones, who were married in New Haven Nov. 30, 1687. Mrs. Jones had six and perhaps more chil-

dren, but we have been able to ascertain the names of but two.

Two children:

79. MARTHA JONES, b. Nov. 13, 1727; bap. Sept. 13, 1728.

80. BENJAMIN JONES, bap. May 23, 1731.

25. MIRIAM² HODGE (*Thomas², John¹*).

Born March 2, 1712; married, Dec. 22, 1731, DANIEL BLAKESLEE, of New Haven, Conn. The Blakeslee family at an early day was quite prominent in that place, and it is believed that many of the descendants now reside there.

Eight children:

85. JOHN BLAKESLEE, b. Oct. 1, 1732.

86. ZILPAH BLAKESLEE, b. June 24, 1734.

87. DANIEL BLAKESLEE, b. May 9, 1736.

88. MIRIAM BLAKESLEE, b. June 9, 1738.

89. SIMRY BLAKESLEE, b. Feb. 15, 1740; d. Feb. 17, 1740.

90. DAVID BLAKESLEE, b. April 30, 1741.

91. JASON BLAKESLEE, b. March 26, 1747.

92. RACHAEL BLAKESLEE, b. Oct. 4, 1751.

35. HENRY³ HODGE (*Henry², John¹*).

Born probably 1720; married, about 1739, PHEBE, who died May 10, 1752. The family was living in Middletown, Conn., May 6, 1740, and probably continued to reside there at least for some years; perhaps both Mr. and Mrs. Hodge died there, the latter most probably. Hinman in his unpublished MSS. in the Boston Historical Rooms gives the baptism of some of the children and calls them and their parents "Hodge." His authority is the church records. The town records of Middletown in giving the births say "Hedges." There is little doubt that the church records are correct.

Six children:

- 94. MARY HODGE, b. May 25, 1740; bap. June 8, 1740.
- 95. ISAAC HODGE, b. May 14, 1743; bap. May 22, 1743.
- 96. ESTHER HODGE, b. Aug. 15, 1745.
- 97. HENRY HODGE, b. Aug 15, 1747; bap. Aug. 16, 1747.
- 98. RACHAEL HODGE, b. Oct. 27, 1749.
- 99. BENJAMIN HODGE, b., 1751; not in church record.

47. SAMUEL³ HODGE (*Samuel², John¹*).

Born about 1721; married, May 3, 1748, MARY LOVE-
LAND, daughter Thomas and Eunice (House) Love-
land, Glastonbury, Conn., granddaughter of John and
Kezia (Williams) Loveland, who were married June 16,
1708, and great-granddaughter of Thomas Loveland, the
pioneer. Mrs. Hodge died April 26, 1771. Mr. Hodge
married (2), Dec. 25, 1771, Deborah Peters, born 1726
and died Sept. 16, 1799. Mr. Hodge died in 1804. He
became a land-holder in Glastonbury as early as Sept. 27,
1742, which is probably the year he became of age.
June 27, 1747, he purchased land for which he paid £445.
March 4, 1754, he bought land for which he paid £800.
Two days later he sold land for which the consideration
was £1,600, or about \$8,000. This was quite a large land
sale for those days, especially in that town. Sept. 5,
1755, a Samuel Hodge of Glastonbury enlisted in the
company of Capt. John Savage to serve in the French-
Indian war, a war which arose from French encroach-
ments on the English settlements. Mr. Hodge served
until the 11th of December following, probably having
enlisted for three months. He received as pay for his ser-
vices £4:13:4.

So far as can be ascertained, there were at that early
date but two men in Glastonbury bearing the name of

Samuel Hodge: one the father, and the other his son. The father at this time was sixty-nine years old, which precludes the belief that he was the one in the military service. Soon after 1755 Mr. Hodge must have moved to Middletown, a town adjoining Glastonbury on the south. Here, Jan. 16, 1758, he purchased land of Isaac Neland, and March 22, 1763, sold land to Henry Bill, of Lebanon. From this date until Oct. 14, 1799, the records show that he was a party to many land transactions, some in Chatham and some in Middletown, the latter town embracing the former until 1767, at which time it was incorporated. Mr. Hodge lived in that part of Middletown which lay east of the Connecticut river, and which became the town of Chatham.

The records of Glastonbury show that his first three children were born in that town, while the others appear on the records of Middletown and East Chatham.

Nine children:

104. MARY HODGE, b. March 3, 1750.
105. RUTH HODGE, b. Feb. 16, 1752.
106. SAMUEL HODGE, b. Feb. 19, 1754; intention to m. Sarah Smart pub. in Rumney, N.H., Nov. 25, 1793.
107. DAVID HODGE, b. Sept. 16, 1756; intention to m. Elizabeth Smart (widow) pub. in Rumney, N.H., Dec. 18, 1774; had dau. Mary Loveland, b. Aug. 29, 1775. After his death his widow m. Jeremiah Clancy. Before this marriage there was an ante-nuptial contract made, which bears date April 29, 1784, and which was recorded March 2, 1797.
108. THOMAS HODGE, b. Sept. 8, 1758.
109. NAOMI HODGE, b. March 15, 1761. Either Naomi or her sister Mary married a man by the name of Kemp.
110. SOLOMON HODGE, b. March 1, 1763.
111. ABIGAIL HODGE, b. Feb. 26, 1765; m., Dec. 5, 1781, Israel Fox.

112. ISRAEL HODGE, b. May 2, 1767; bap. May 10, 1767. (E. Chatham, Conn., Rec.)
 113. ICHABOD HODGE, b. April 26, 1771; bap. April 28, 1771. (E. Chatham, Conn., Rec.)

48. JOHN¹ HODGE (*Samuel², John¹*).

Born about 1725; married (1), Jan. 29, 1748, SARAH TAYLOR, daughter of John Taylor, of Weathersfield, Conn. She died Jan. 26, 1781; married (2), March 27, 1783, ABIGAIL DODGE. Mr. Hodge died in 1799, his wife surviving him. He lived his whole life in Glastonbury, Conn. Nearly if not all of those of the Hodge name now residing in that town are his descendants. Through marriages with other families probably nearly one hundred of his descendants, under different names, are residents of that locality.

April 28, 1747, the year before his first marriage, he sold land for the consideration of £120. In 1752 he deeded land for which he received £550. We find no record of the purchase of any land by him prior to these dates. In 1761 he made a large purchase of land, and Aug. 10, 1767, he was again a buyer. Aug. 14, 1770, and also Sept. 1, 1773, he sold land.

These and other land transactions show that he was quite an extensive dealer in real estate. In 1767 the town voted him permission "to build a grist mill on *his own land*, on Roaring Brook."

The General Assembly of Connecticut, in October, 1777, enacted that all freemen in the colony should take an oath of fidelity to the colony and country, and no person not having taken this oath should be permitted to vote, hold any office, practise any profession, nor make any bargain for the purchase or sale of any property, real or personal.

This oath of loyalty was taken by Mr. Hodge immediately thereafter.

According to tradition in the family he was a man of exemplary character, greatly esteemed for his honesty and neighborly virtues. He was a member of the Glastonbury Ecclesiastical Society, of which Rev. John Eells was pastor. He made his will May 14, 1799, and about four months after his death it was entered for probate at the Probate Court office in Hartford. He is supposed to have died about the first of September. The will provided that his wife should have "all the furniture she brought with her, and half of that since purchased;" also "that she should have the use of" certain property "so long as she shall remain a widow." Mr. Hodge made provision for all of his children then living, and for such heirs as there were of those who were dead. Isaac, his seventh son and tenth child, was named in the will as executor. By his last wife he had no children.

Twelve children:

115. JOHN HODGE, b. Nov. 6, 1748.
116. SARAH HODGE, b. Sept. 8, 1750.
117. ELIJAH HODGE, b. Nov. 11, 1752.
118. JONATHAN HODGE, b. Oct. 16, 1754.
119. LEVI HODGE, b. Dec. 21, 1756. (See Rev. Levi Hodge.)
120. ELI HODGE, b. Sept. 9, 1758; bap. July 8, 1759.
121. SOPHIA HODGE, b. Feb. 17, 1760; d. two hours old.
122. RHODA HODGE, b. Dec. 24, 1761; bap. Jan. 31, 1762; m., Oct. 25, 1781, Samuel Pease, who d. Sept. 20, 1789. She d. Aug. 10, 1784.
123. ROSWELL HODGE, b. Feb. 9, 1766; d. before 1799; m. and certainly had one son.
124. ISAAC HODGE, b. Jan. 24, 1768; bap. March 27, 1768; m., Dec. 25, 1791, Esther Warner. He was alive certainly in 1799, as he was administrator on his father's estate. There was an Isaac Hodge of Glastonbury in the war of 1812-14, who perhaps was a son of this Isaac.

125. LYDIA HODGE, b. , 1769; bap. Nov. 19, 1769; m.,
March 14, 1787, Isaac Bowers.
126. ABEL HODGE, b. , 1771; bap. Nov. 14, 1771; m., Nov.
24, 1791, Submit Brooks.

49. BENJAMIN³ HODGE (*Samuel², John¹*).

Born , 1731; married, Nov. 21 (one record says "Nov. 22"), 1751, by Rev. Ephraim Little, of First Congregational Church, Glastonbury, LYDIA WELLES, born May 24, 1728, and died in 1810. (See Welles family, No. 31.) He died April 24, 1799. We conclude she died in 1810, because her estate was entered for probate that year. His birth we have placed in 1731, because a record says at his death he was sixty-eight years old. Mr. Hodge resided in Glastonbury, Conn., where both he and his wife died. He served in the French-Indian war from May 29 to Oct. 25, 1758, as appears by records on file in the State library at Hartford, Conn. He belonged to Capt. Samuel Gaylord's company of the Fourth Regiment, and received as pay for his services £9:12:10. The records of the town show that he was a party to many transactions in real estate. During the years 1791 and 1792 his son Benjamin united with him in several purchases and sales. Dec. 30, 1794, is the last time the elder Benjamin is mentioned in any land deal.

The inhabitants of Glastonbury were among the first to take action against the British. As early as 1770 the people passed resolutions censuring the colony of New York "for shamefully violating the non-importation agreement."

Six months prior to the Declaration of Independence, Jan. 22, 1776, the town ordered the purchase of three hundred pounds of powder for the use of the town, and in the month of September following, at a meeting of the

freemen of the town, it was voted that "a committee of three persons be chosen to inspect each able-bodied man, and see that he was equipped with a good gun, and if any man had a gun not in good repair, the committee to warn such person to get such gun well fixed within one week after such warning; and if any person was poor and unable to have their gun fixed, then such person to immediately deliver their gun to the selectmen of the town, who should appoint two judicious freeholders to appraise the same; and then said selectmen to fix such gun at the expense of the town, and if the owner thereof did not pay the charges for the repairs within six months, then the selectmen to pay the owner of said gun the appraised value, and keep the same for the benefit of the town."

Mr. Hodge was one of the three persons chosen to make the inspection. At the same "town meeting" it was voted to purchase, for the use of the town, a "bullet mould and ladle." Mr. Hodge took the "oath of fidelity" immediately after the passage of the act, and during the whole struggle against the mother country took a prominent part in the town, in such ways as he could, calculated to inspire patriotism among the people.

Mr. Hodge made his will April 3, 1799, three months before his death. All of his children then living had married, and most of them had gone West. In the language usually used in wills of that day, he commenced by giving his "soul to God who gave it and his body to the earth." He provided that each of his six living children should have an equal amount, and the balance of his estate should go to his wife. After his death the widow lived with her daughter Lydia, who with her husband, Elijah Covell, took charge of the old home-stead. In 1894 the house in which Mr. Hodge lived and died was still standing. The

place was long known as "Hodge Hill," and is now often so called. Mr. Hodge and his wife were both members of the Eastbury church.

None of the descendants of Mr. Hodge bearing the Hodge name now reside in Connecticut, but they may be found in New York, Ohio, Illinois, Wisconsin, Washington, Oregon, California, and perhaps other States; and as a general thing they have been prosperous. His five daughters all married Revolutionary soldiers.

Eight children:

- 128. BENJAMIN HODGE, b. Feb. 1, 1753.
- 129. WILLIAM HODGE, b. Aug. 14, 1754; d. July 28, 1768.
- 130. LYDIA HODGE, b. Aug. 2, 1756.
- 131. ANN HODGE, b. Feb. 11, 1758.
- 132. JERUSHA HODGE, b. Sept. 27, 1759.
- 133. ASABEL HODGE, b. June 25, 1761; d. Aug. 13, 1763.
- 134. LOIS HODGE, b. June 25, 1764.
- 135. EUNICE HODGE, b. June 11, 1768.

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51. ASAHIEL⁴ HODGE (*John³, John², John¹*).

Born Oct. 3, 1717; married, Jan. 27, 1740, DAMARIS GILMAN, of Hartford, Conn. Mr. Hodge was born in Windsor, but this is about all we know of him until he became a resident of Harwinton, about 1768, when he was fifty years of age.

He lived in that town, probably with his son, during the whole period of the Revolutionary war. He or his son was clerk of Harwinton from 1784 to 1787. Quite likely it was the son, Captain Asahel, who held this position. The captain moved about 1788 to Edinburg, Saratoga

County, N.Y., and it is believed the father went with him, as we find no trace of him in Harwinton after that date. The records of the First Congregational Church of Windsor show that he became a member of that church by public profession June 26, 1737, when twenty years of age. He had born in Windsor one child, but quite likely had others.

One child:

136. ASAHEL HODGE, b. Nov. 7, 1741.

53. MARGARET⁴ HODGE (*John², John², John¹*).

Born June 5, 1720; married, Nov. 10, 1738, JOEL THRALL, born May 27, 1716, son of John and Mindwell (Moses) Thrall, of Windsor, Conn., grandson of Timothy and Deborah (Gunn) Thrall, and great-grandson of William Thrall, one of the first settlers of Windsor, who was a soldier in the Pequot war, and died Aug. 3, 1678. The Windsor records speak of "Old Goody Thrall," who died July 30, 1676. She is supposed to have been the wife of William Thrall, the pioneer. The records of the First Congregational Church of Windsor say: "Oct. 26, 1740, Joel Thrall, and Margaret his wife, made public confession." Soon after this date Mr. Thrall moved to Torrington, Litchfield County, where for many years he kept a hotel, or tavern, as such places were called in those days.

At his death he was succeeded in business by his son Pardon, who continued to keep the same hotel for many years.

Mr. Thrall was one of the administrators on the estate of his father-in-law, John Hodge, of Windsor, who died in 1751.

Nine children :

- 142. JOEL THRALL, b. April 15, 1740; bap. Nov. 9, 1740.
- 143. AARON THRALL, b. May 29, 1742.
- 144. CHLOE THRALL, b. March 5, 1745.
- 145. REUBEN THRALL, b. Feb. 20, 1747.
- 146. LEVI THRALL, b. June 11, 1749.
- 147. FRIEND THRALL, b. June 9, 1752.
- 148. NOAH THRALL, b. April 3, 1754.
- 149. MARGARET THRALL, b. Jan. 9, 1756.
- 150. PARDON THRALL, b. Feb. 10, 1759; m. and after some years went West.

54. SARAH¹ HODGE (*John², John³, John¹*).

Born Feb. 24, 1722; married, Nov. 10, 1743, ELIAKIM MARSHALL, born July 15, 1720, son of Eliakim Marshall, born July 10, 1669, who married, Aug. 23, 1704, Sarah List, of Milford, Conn., and who died Aug. 8, 1720.

He was a grandson of Samuel Marshall, who married Mary Wilton, daughter of Lieut. David Wilton. The grandfather was a captain in King Philip's war, and was killed in the great "Swamp Fight" in Rhode Island, Dec. 19, 1675, the most desperate engagement ever fought in the New England States.

The father of Captain Samuel, great-grandfather of Eliakim, Jr., was Thomas Marshall, who came from England and was admitted to the church in Boston in 1634, and made a freeman there March 4, 1635. The descendants of Thomas Marshall have exhibited great intellectual power and personal bravery.

Eliakim lived in Windsor, Conn., where, as will be seen, he raised a large family.

Twelve children :

- 152. SARAH MARSHALL, b. Oct. 17, 1744.
- 153. EUNICE MARSHALL, b. Jan. 14, 1746.
- 154. RHODA MARSHALL, b. July 22, 1747.

- 155. DINAH MARSHALL, b. April 1, 1749.
- 156. ELISHA MARSHALL, b. Dec. 31, 1750.
- 157. ELIJAH MARSHALL, b. Sept. 9, 1752.
- 158. ELIAKIM MARSHALL, b. Oct. 28, 1754.
- 159. RACHAEL MARSHALL, b. June 13, 1756.
- 160. ASENATH MARSHALL, b. July 9, 1758.
- 161. LUCY MARSHALL, b. July 18, 1760.
- 162. TRYPHENA MARSHALL, b. March 31, 1762.
- 163. DANIEL MARSHALL, b. March 18, 1766.

60. DANIEL⁴ HODGE (*Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Dec. 12, 1729; married SARAH PLATT, born Feb. 28, 1742, and died about 1825, at North Milford, Conn. He died before 1796. Both for a time were members of the Congregational Church in West Haven, that portion now Orange.

Ten children:

- 166. DANIEL HODGE, b. Jan. , 1766.
- 167. SARAH HODGE, b. Jan. , 1766; m. Amos Mallory; had certainly three children.
- 168. BENJAMIN HODGE, b. , 1768-9.
- 169. JESSE HODGE, prob. b. in 1770; d. young.
- 170. MARTHA HODGE, b. Oct. 19, 1771; d. March 9, 1813 unnm.
- 171. ELEANOR HODGE, bap. Sept. 1, 1776; d. before her father, of cancer; unnm.
- 172. REBECCA HODGE, unnm.
- 173. JESSE HODGE, b. April 29, 1780; bap. June 4, 1780.
- 174. DANIEL HODGE, b. , 1783; bap. Sept. 28, 1783; had guardian appointed 1799; unnm.; went to Charleston, S.C., where he d. abt. 1814.
- 175. MEHITABLE HODGE, d. young.

73. ESTHER⁴ HODGE (*Thomas³, Thomas², John¹*).

Baptized Sept. 11, 1729, and probably born same year; married, Feb. 14, 1751, ISAAC BEECHER, JR., born Jan. 8, 1726-7, and died Oct. 25, 1811, at West Haven, Conn. She died Nov. 28, 1802.

Five children :

- 176. ESTHER BEECHER, b. March 7, 1752; m. Joseph Smith.
- 177. SARAH BEECHER, b. Sept. 29, 1753; m. a Merrill; lived in West Haven. She d. in 1812.
- 178. ELIZABETH BEECHER; m. Jeremiah Smith.
- 179. ANNE BEECHER, b. in 1758; d. in 1836, unm.
- 180. LOIS BEECHER; m. Joseph Prindle.

75. WILLIAM¹ HODGE (*Thomas¹, Thomas², John¹*).

Baptized Oct. 27, 1734; probably born same year. Had wife LUCY. Administration granted on estate March 6, 1780, to Josiah Terrill, who was made guardian of "infant child Mabel" (Waterbury, Conn., rec.).

Mrs. Linn (Race) Ames, of North Ridgeville, Lorain County, Ohio, daughter of Bradford Race, granddaughter of Belinda (Hodge) Beebe, and, as she says, great-granddaughter of William Hodge, in a letter, 1897, gives the following in regard to her family line: "My great-grandfather, William Hodge, was killed by the British in 1779. Eunice, a daughter of William, was born Sept. 9, 1758, and died Aug. 10, 1843. She had two brothers and two sisters. One brother died in New York and the other in Waterbury, Conn. One sister married a Smith and the other, Belinda, my grandmother, married David Beebe, who lived in Waterbury. Grandmother Belinda (Hodge) Beebe died March 3, 1865, aged 86, and grandfather Beebe died Aug. 27, 1857, aged 76." This would make the year of Belinda's birth 1779, the year her father was killed, and the year of Mr. Beebe's birth 1781. Mrs. Ames further says: "Clayton Terrill, of Ridgeville, a descendant of William Hodge, has in his possession an old screw-driver, upon which are the letters 'W. H.,' which, according to tradition, belonged to William Hodge. Joel Terrill, who married Eunice Hodge, was born in Connecticut, July

23, 1757, came to Ohio May 10, 1810, and died March 22, 1825." A church record at West Haven says William Hodge and wife Lucy had a son Jeremiah, baptized Feb. 11, 1776.

The descendants of the daughters of Mr. Hodge, Eunice and Belinda, are quite numerous in Lorain County and other parts of the country, all highly respected, and some distinguished for high attainments.

Five children, perhaps others:

181. EUNICE HODGE, b. Sept. 9, 1758.

182. BELINDA HODGE, b. , 1779.

95. ISAAC⁴ HODGE (*Henry³, Henry², John¹*).

Born May 14, 1743; married, September, 1765, ANNA ROBERTS. The Middletown, Conn., records call her "Robbards." The same records give Hodge as Hedge and Hodges. Evidently the records were written by a poor speller. No date of the death of Mr. Hodge or his wife has been found, and it is quite probable that they moved away from Middletown soon after 1772.

Four children:

184. ANNA HODGE, b. Jan. 2, 1767.

185. ABRAHAM HODGE, b. Oct. 7, 1768.

186. ISAAC HODGE, b. Sept. 29, 1770. (An Isaac Hodge m., Dec. 25, 1791, Esther Warner, of Chatham, Conn.)

187. BEULAH HODGE, b. Oct. 12, 1772.

99. BENJAMIN⁴ HODGE (*Henry³, Henry², John¹*).

Born in 1751; married, but when and to whom not ascertained. He died Feb. 6, 1823. Mr. Schuyler Colfax Hodge, of New York City, a great-grandson of this Benjamin, in a letter says of him: "He lived in Stonington,

Conn., when the Revolutionary war broke out, and he went to the war from that town." The information we have gathered leads to the belief that Mr. Hodge was the son of Henry Hodge, as here represented, but the evidence is not conclusive. The records on file in Washington show that in January, 1776, he enlisted in the Continental army for one year, and that he afterwards served several short terms. Mr. Schuyler Colfax Hodge in his letter adds: "Mr. Hodge saw the massacre at Fort Griswold." After the war Mr. Hodge became a resident of Bridport, Addison County, Vt., where he died. He had two sons and very likely other children. We had hoped for more assistance from the descendants of this Revolutionary soldier in tracing out his family than we have received.

Two children:

- 188. HENRY B. HODGE, b. abt. 1783; m. (1) Sally, who d. July or Sept. 5, 1841; m. (2) Mary Martin. Had by first wife Sarah Abigail, b. Jan. 24, 1841, and by second wife Henry Martin, b. Jan. 25, 1844; prob. had other children.
- 189. BENJAMIN HODGE, b. prob. 1785.

104. MARY⁴ HODGE (*Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born March 3, 1750; married (1), 1768, EDWARD PURPLE, born May 9, 1745, son of Edward and Ruth (Hollister) Purple, of Glastonbury, Conn., whose father, Edward Purple, Sr., was born March 28, 1713, and died August, 1752. Edward, Jr., died August, 1794, after which the widow married (2) Stephen Knowlton.

Eight children:

- 192. EDWARD PURPLE, b. Aug. 14, 1769.
- 193. POLLY PURPLE, b. May 25, 1771.
- 194. ANSEL PURPLE, b. , 1773.
- 195. RUTH PURPLE, bap. July 9, 1784.

- 196. SAMUEL PURPLE, b. May 28, 1784.
- 197. DEBORAH PURPLE, b. April 25, 1788.
- 198. STATIRA PURPLE, b. , 1790.
- 199. ANN PURPLE, b. March 30, 1793.

108. THOMAS ' HODGE (*Samuel*¹, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Sept. 8, 1758; married (1) a woman by whom he had two children, but whose name has not been ascertained; married (2), May 22, 1787, LUCY WEBBER, born March 3, 1768, and died October, 1837; probably daughter of Deacon William Webber. It is claimed with much certainty that she was a lineal descendant of Thomas and Hannah Dustin, of Indian capture fame. As will be seen, one of the children was named Dustin. (See "Capture of Hannah Dustin.") Mr. Hodge died, says inscription on monument in cemetery at Rumney, Grafton County, N.H., "Aug. 10, 1840, aged 82."

When little more than eighteen years of age Mr. Hodge left his home in Chatham, where he was born and lived with his parents, crossed the Connecticut river to Middletown, and there, May 26, 1777, enlisted to serve three years in the Continental army. He became a private in Capt. Elijah Blackman's company, Col. Henry Sherburne's regiment. This regiment was brigaded with a regiment commanded by Col. Samuel B. Webb. In the fall of 1777 the brigade was with Gen. Israel Putnam, on the Hudson river. In June following it was at the Highlands, opposite West Point.

The brigade took part in the memorable encounter the storming of Stony Point, one of the most daring and successful engagements of the war. It was afterwards stationed at "Robison's Farm," which the following year became the scene of Gen. Benedict Arnold's treason.

Oct. 22, 1779, the brigade was highly complimented by Baron Steuben. It wintered, 1779-80, at Morristown, N.J.

This was the severest winter during the war, and the American soldiers suffered greatly. Mr. Hodge was discharged at the end of his full term of enlistment.

Soon after leaving the army he married. His wife died a few years later, after which he became a resident of Rumney, N.H., where he married again and raised a large family. His descendants are now numerous and widely scattered over the country. The records of Rumney show several land transactions to which Mr. Hodge was a party. March 2, 1796, he bought land of John Smith in what was then called Wentworth. March 22, same year, he sold land to Benjamin Webber. Jan. 3, 1814, Mr. Hodge, Sally, William, and Benjamin Webber, heirs of the estate of Deacon William Webber, late of Rumney, quit-claimed to Jonathan Blodget, "for a valuable consideration, fifty acres of land that was pitched by the said William Webber, deceased." Nov. 6, 1834, Mr. Hodge and his wife deeded to their son, Lewis, thirty-four acres of land upon which they then lived, covenanting that they should continue to have the use of the same until their death. Little has been learned in regard to the two children by the first wife.

Fifteen children:

200. THOMAS HODGE, b. abt. 1780; grew to manhood.
201. AZURAH HODGE, b. abt. 1782; m. a man by the name of Morse, who had a son Joel. In 1849-50 Joel lived in Burlington, Vt., and about that time lost his wife and only child. As is supposed, soon after, he went to California. Joel had a brother, Mark, who for a time lived in Burlington. (See "Story of the Thimble," in another part of this work.)
202. WILLIAM HODGE, b. Feb. 16, 1783; d. early.
203. WILLIAM HODGE, b. Nov. 25, 1789; d. two days old.

- 204. LUCY HODGE, b. Feb. 22, 1791; m., 1844, Joseph Manning, of Johnstown, Vt.; had no children. She d. about 1875. Sept. 16, 1810, she was admitted to the church at Rumney, and December, 1845, dismissed from it to the church at Johnstown, her home after her marriage.
- 205. LEVI HODGE, b. Feb. 10, 1793.
- 206. SOLOMON HODGE, b. Dec. 18, 1794.
- 207. SAMUEL HODGE, b. Nov. 1, 1796.
- 208. EDWARD HODGE, b. Sept. 18, 1798.
- 209. CALEB KIMBALL HODGE, b. March 1, 1801; d. September, 1820.
- 210. LUCINDA HODGE, b. Nov. 2, 1822; admitted to church in Rumney, March, 1820; m., abt. 1825, Benjamin Philbrick, of Hardwick, Vt.; had Levi Almon, b. 1830, who d. abt. 1854.
- 211. NATHANIEL HODGE, b. April 8, 1804.
- 212. LEWIS HODGE, b. Feb. 10, 1806; m., in 1828, Hannah J. Blake; had Perry, who served in late civil war; Dustin, now dead; Martha, who m. a Johnson; and Eldesta, who died some years since.
- 213. REUBEN A. HODGE, b. Feb. 25, 1811; Oct. 7, 1835, he quit-claimed land to his brother Lewis, for \$1200; in 1831 he joined, by letter, the church in Rumney; and in April, 1841, was dismissed to Baptist Church in Fairfax, Vt.
- 214. HIRAM DUSTIN HODGE, b. April 29, 1813.

112. ISRAEL⁴ HODGE (*Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 2, 1767; married, Dec. 9, 1785, MARY STILES, born in 1767, and died April 18, 1843. He died July 9, 1838. About the year 1804 Mr. Hodge moved from Chatham, Conn., where he was born and had lived to that time, to Richfield, Otsego County, N.Y. Here he bought land of Benjamin Hodge, his cousin, who had left Connecticut and settled in Richfield a few years previous.

Later he became a resident of Mendon, Monroe County, in the same State. Mr. Hodge was engaged in a land transaction in Richfield as late as 1831, but just when he

changed his residence to Mendon we have not been able to ascertain.

Nine children:

- 217. ICHABOD HODGE, b. Oct. 1, 1786.
- 218. LYDIA HODGE, b. June 5, 1788.
- 219. POLLY HODGE, b. April 27, 1790.
- 220. PHEBE HODGE, b. Sept. 7, 1792.
- 221. PATIENCE HODGE, b. Feb. 20, 1795.
- 222. CLARISSA HODGE, b. Dec. 20, 1796.
- 223. SOLOMON HODGE, b. May 14, 1798.
- 224. LOTON S. HODGE, b. April 29, 1800.
- 225. PRUDENCE HODGE, b. March 20, 1804.

115. JOHN⁴ HODGE (*John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 6, 1748; married, but when and to whom unknown. Resided in Glastonbury, Conn., and there died July 17, 1783.

Two children:

- 228. DANIEL ELLIS HODGE, bap. Dec. 5, 1773, by Rev. Eells, of Eastbury church.
- 229. LENA HODGE, bap. Aug. 16, 1778; prob. d. before 1799, as she is not mentioned in her grandfather Hodge's will, while provision is made for her brother.

116. SARAH⁴ HODGE (*John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 8, 1750; married, Feb. 1, 1770, WILLIAM FOX, JR. She died before 1809. Jan. 27, 1771, she and her husband renewed their covenant with the First Congregational Church in Glastonbury, Conn., where they resided. The records show the birth of only one child.

One child:

- 231. SARAH HODGE FOX, b. Feb. 25, 1771.

117. ELIJAH¹ HODGE (*John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 11, 1752; married, April 14, 1772, ELIZABETH ELLIS, or ALLIS, born in 1751 and died March 7, 1821; daughter of John Ellis. Mr. Hodge died Nov. 6, 1821. Oct. 11, 1772, he and his wife owned baptismal covenant. He was a deacon in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, in Glastonbury, Conn.

Mr. Hodge was early engaged in the manufacture of iron, the ore being brought by teams from the State of New York. May 10, 1775, he enlisted in the military service in a company commanded by Capt. W. Clift, one of the companies composing the regiment of which Samuel H. Parsons was colonel. According to a census taken in 1790, his family at that time consisted of two males over sixteen years of age, two males under sixteen, and three females.

Nine children:

- 235. ELIJAH HODGE, b. , 1773; bap. Oct. 11, 1773.
- 236. BENAJAH HODGE, b. , Aug. 1775; bap. Oct. 22, 1775.
- 237. ELIZUR HODGE, b. Oct. 15, 1778; bap. Dec. 7, 1778.
- 238. ELIZABETH HODGE, b. , 1780; bap. Sept. 17, 1780.
- 239. BURRILL HODGE, b. , 1781.
- 240. ESTER HODGE; m., prob. July 13, 1806, John Patten, of Portland, Conn.
- 241. NOEL HODGE, b. March 21, 1792.
- 242. SARAH HODGE, b. prob. abt. 1794.
- 243. LYDIA HODGE, b. prob. abt. 1796.

118. JONATHAN¹ HODGE (*John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 16, 1754; married, April 14, 1779, ABIGAIL PEASE, daughter of Peter Pease. She died in Westfield, N.Y., aged eighty. He died in 1827, at Orwell, Rutland County, Vt. Mr. Hodge's children were all born in

Glastonbury, Conn., but the record only gives dates of birth in a few instances.

Ten children:

- 245. ANSEL HODGE.
- 246. JOHN HODGE.
- 247. JULIA HODGE.
- 248. ELIZA HODGE.
- 249. CHESTER HODGE, b. Feb. 26, 1786; m., prob. Jan. 12, 1815,
Polly Bascom, of Bridport, Vt.
- 250. PEGGY HODGE, b. , 1787; d. Jan. 24, 1806.
- 251. CALEB HODGE.
- 252. ROSWELL HODGE, b. Aug. 27, 1794. In 1820 he enlisted
in the navy and was never heard of thereafter.
- 253. SYLVESTER HODGE.
- 254. SYLVANUS HODGE, b. Nov. 5, 1802.

119. LEVI⁴ HODGE (*John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 21, 1756. Mr. Hodge is supposed to have married and had children, but we have no positive knowledge on the subject.

He died June 22, 1819. July 12, 1775, in response to a call made by General Washington for special service troops, he enlisted in Capt. John Douglas' company, Colonel Huntington's regiment, and continued in the service until December 10 following. March 3, 1777, he went into the naval service, and in August, 1781, was on board the frigate "Trumbull," twenty-eight guns, commanded by Capt. James Nickolson, when, after an hour's fierce combat, she was captured by the British ships "Iris," of thirty-two guns, and the "General Monk," of eighteen guns. It is quite probable he was on the "Trumbull" the year previous in the spirited engagement between that ship and the British war vessel "Watt," of thirty-four guns. In this fight the two ships appear to have suffered

about the same damage, and after several hours' combat they separated and sailed away, neither showing any desire to pursue the other.

Land records show that Mr. Hodge, Feb. 8, 1790, bought in Chatham, Conn., of John Chapman, forty-seven acres of land, and that, April 3, 1792, he sold fifty acres in the same town. In the deeds Mr. Hodge is spoken of as being of "Barnard Tp. Mass." Here he probably resided and died.

Under the pension act of 1818 Mr. Hodge became a pensioner as a Connecticut soldier then living in Massachusetts.

He was placed on the pension roll April 24, 1818, and received at the time \$112 as back pay. Mr. Hodge, both soldier and sailor in his country's service, evidently was a true patriot, risking his life as he did on land and sea fighting for liberty. We regret that we have not been able to learn more of his history.

There was a Levi Hodge, in 1793, who at Ipswich, Mass., carried on the saddlery trade, but we have been unable to further identify him. (See also "Rev. Levi Hodge," in another part of this work.)

120. ELI⁴ HODGE (*John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 9, 1758; married, March 1, 1781, ELIZABETH GOSLEE. (Church record says he married, Sept. 27, 1781, Sarah Goslee, but in the church records we found several mistakes.) Elizabeth was baptized July 8, 1759, and no doubt was born about that time. Mr. Hodge resided in Glastonbury probably all his life; died there, July, 1828. His estate was entered for probate July 19, 1828, and James Hodge, of Glastonbury, was named as administrator. Just who this James Hodge was we have not ascer-

tained. He owned land in Chatham near the residence of Pamela Hodge, one of the daughters of Eli, and may have been her brother. Dec. 3, 1816, a James Hodge and others bought land in Chatham. Another record says James Hodge in 1815 married Laura Hall. Eli had

Seven children, perhaps others :

- 260. ASA HODGE, b. July 27, 1784.
- 261. ELI HODGE, b. June 27, 1786.
- 262. IRA HODGE, b. April 2, 1788.
- 263. POLLY HODGE, b. Aug. 10, 1790.
- 264. VINA HODGE, b. Oct. 9, 1792.
- 265. HANNAH HODGE, b. Feb. 8, 1796.
- 266. PAMELIA HODGE, b. July 5, 1798.

128. BENJAMIN⁴ HODGE (*Benjamin*¹, *Samuel*²,
*John*¹).

Born Feb. 1, 1753; married, April 9, 1780, SARAH CHURCHILL, born Nov. 25, 1757, in Chatham, Conn., and died May 20, 1835. (See "Churchill Family," No. 32.) He died Feb. 23, 1837. March 3, 1782, Mr. Hodge and his wife renewed their covenant with the Eastbury church, of Glastonbury, Conn. In 1775, when twenty-two years of age, Mr. Hodge went on a whaling voyage, returning early in the fall of that year. Soon after his return he enlisted in the military service, in Capt. Jonathan Hale's company, Col. Erastus Wolcott's regiment.

This regiment was one of those called into service by General Washington to defend the frontiers until the new army authorized by Congress was organized. For a time a part of the regiment was stationed at a point on Lake George, in the northern part of New York. Many of the men by reason of extreme cold weather and hardships were taken sick, Mr. Hodge being one of the number.

The following year, being unfit for service, he was sent home. In after years he often related the many hardships he endured while at Lake George. In 1777, after taking the "Oath of Fidelity," as it was called, he went to sea on a merchant vessel, which soon after was captured by the British. The crew escaped to the shore, but lost all their effects except the clothing they had on.

In 1783 the town records of Glastonbury show he taught school in that town, for which he was paid £9. He probably boarded around in the district, as it was customary to do in those days. March 29, 1786, he purchased land in Glastonbury, for which he paid £100. In the several years following his name appears on the land records of the town in connection with a number of real-estate transactions. March 22, 1792, he sold land to Gideon Hollister, and Dec. 30, 1794, he made a sale to Daniel Dickinson, of "land on the bank of the brook." This probably was the last piece of land he owned in Glastonbury, except the interest he held in the estate of his father, which, Jan. 29, 1811, after the death of his mother, who died in 1810, he quitclaimed to his brother-in-law, Ebenezer Goodale. The old homestead was in the Eastbury part of the town.

In 1793 Mr. Hodge moved to Richfield, Otsego County, N.Y., where he continued to reside until about 1798, when he sold his land there and moved to Exeter, a town adjoining. The land records of Richfield show that Mr. Hodge owned at one time quite an extensive tract of land in what was then known as that part of the town granted by letters-patent to David Schuyler and others, situated on the west and southwest sides of Lake Candaraga.

Aug. 30, 1793, he deeded a large portion of the land he here held to three persons: one parcel to Nathaniel Paine,

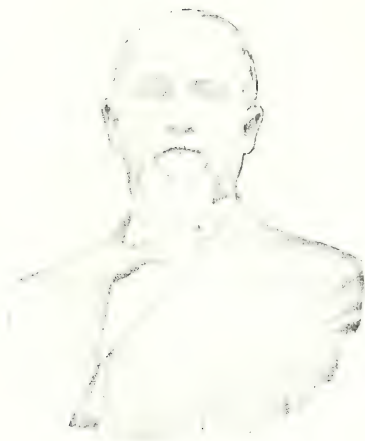
for \$675; another, 155 acres, to David Hill, for \$660; and the third piece, 57 $\frac{3}{4}$ acres, to Constant Balcom. Sept. 11, 1798, he sold 110 $\frac{1}{4}$ acres, probably the balance he owned in this tract, for \$1,433. In 1806 he sold land in Exeter to his cousin Israel Hodge, who had just moved there from Glastonbury. With his family, accompanied by several of his neighbors, he now started for a home farther west.

In the month of July of that year, 1806, the party made its way on the Mohawk river to Oneida lake, by Oswego river to Lake Ontario, on the lake to the mouth of Niagara river, and then up the river to Niagara falls. Here the flatboat used by the party was taken out of the water, put on a wagon, and drawn by oxen to a place called Schlosser, just above the falls on the American side of the river. From here it was "side-tracked" up the river to Buffalo creek. William, Mr. Hodge's eldest son, had made the trip the year previous, and was now located at a place called "Cold Springs," about three miles from the mouth of Buffalo creek. Buffalo, then known as New Amsterdam, afterwards as Buffalo, contained about a dozen white families. Indians were numerous in the wilderness about, and flocked in great numbers to see the white people. Oct. 22, 1803, before leaving Exeter, Mr. Hodge had purchased for \$236.50 the "article" or title to what was then known as Lot No. 35, containing forty-seven and three-tenths acres, then just outside of the village of Buffalo, which long since became a part of the city of Buffalo. On the arrival of Mr. Hodge his son William proposed to trade for this lot a farm which he owned in Eden, a few miles from Buffalo. The exchange was made and Mr. Hodge went to Eden, where he continued to reside until December, 1812, when he moved to "Cold

Springs" * near where his son William lived. Here Mr. Hodge engaged in farming, trading in cattle, and other business pursuits. Dec. 30, 1813, he was an eye-witness to the burning of Buffalo by the British.

Learning that the British had landed at Black Rock, a few miles down the Niagara river from Buffalo, still nearer to Cold Springs, Mr. Hodge hastily sent his family in a wagon drawn by a yoke of oxen to a place then called "Harris Hill," now Clarence, about twelve miles from Buffalo, while he remained to watch his interests. The following day, in the afternoon, a patrol of the enemy, sent to destroy the residence of his son William (in the cellar of which was stored merchandise of the value of \$50,000 belonging to merchants of Buffalo), saw Mr. Hodge and another man in the street near the premises of William Hodge, and ordered them to surrender. Instead of doing so, however, they both started on a run. Being hastily pursued by a trooper, Mr. Hodge came to a halt, while his companion continued his flight, only to be soon shot dead. Mr. Hodge was directed to procure an axe, and with it to break in the heads of some of the liquor casks stored in William's cellar. While an officer was filling his canteen with spirits a sentry called out, "The Yankees are coming," which caused the officer to hasten upstairs. He ordered Mr. Hodge to follow, but the order was obeyed with such

* The spring of cold water which gave to the locality the name "Cold Springs" was once a great resort of the Indians; and white men for a century refreshed themselves at the crystal fountain, but the spring is now no more. The Buffalo sewerage system destroyed it. The writer in early days often drank at this spring, and now with thousands of others regrets that the spring is no more. Over its bed is now a street (Main), where street cars rumble along, daily carrying hundreds of people thoughtless of the spot which for so many years to the thirsty traveller was like an oasis in the desert.



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want of alacrity that when Mr. Hodge reached the floor above the officer and other soldiers with him were nowhere in sight. The building had been fired in several places and was soon in ruins.

Mr. Hodge belonged to the Masonic fraternity, and it is claimed a brotherhood sign was given which saved him from being made a prisoner. Benjamin Hodge, Jr., the same day was made a prisoner and taken to Canada.

Mr. Hodge lived through two wars with Great Britain, and saw much of frontier life. His mind was well stored with war reminiscences and general information. He wore knee buckles, after the continental style, long after they had gone out of general use, and he was probably the last man in Buffalo to discard them. He died greatly respected by a large circle of acquaintances. Mrs. Hodge was a woman of refinement, superior good judgment, and proud spirit.

The two lived together fifty-five years, and their remains now rest side by side in Forest Lawn Cemetery, Buffalo, N.Y.

Ten children:

268. WILLIAM HODGE, b. Monday, July 2, 1781; bap. Nov. 22, 1784.
269. CLARISSA HODGE, b. Tuesday, Sept. 25, 1782; d. Jan. 20, 1790.
270. PHILANDER HODGE, b. Tuesday, Oct. 26, 1784; drowned Dec. 11, 1808, in French Creek, Penn.
271. ALFRED HODGE, b. Friday, Jan. 26, 1787; d. Dec. 9, 1789.
272. LORIN HODGE, b. Monday, April 6, 1789; bap. June 28, 1789.
273. SARAH HODGE, b. Saturday, Oct. 29, 1791; d. Feb. 28, 1792.
274. CLARISSA HODGE, b. Wednesday, Dec. 26, 1792.
275. ALFRED HODGE, b. Monday, March 9, 1795.
276. BENJAMIN HODGE, b. Wednesday, April 26, 1797.
277. VELORUS HODGE, b. Wednesday, March 26, 1800.

130. LYDIA⁴ HODGE (*Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 2, 1756; married, Sept. 17 (one record says 22), 1784, ELIJAH COVELL, of Glastonbury, Conn., born May 12, 1752, and died April 21, 1821. She died Aug. 16, 1851. As will be seen, Mrs. Covell survived to the age of ninety-five. She and her husband lived with and cared for her parents a number of years.

She lived a quiet Christian life, loved and greatly respected.

Mr. Covell served in the Revolutionary war from May 22 to Dec. 19, 1775, under Capt. Hezekiah Parsons, of the Fourth Regiment, commanded by Col. Benjamin Hinman. In May Governor Trumbull ordered the regiment to march as soon as possible to secure Fort Ticonderoga and Crown Point. The regiment reached Fort Ticonderoga the following month. It served in the Northern Department until expiration of term of service, in December of that year. The regiment suffered greatly from sickness. Mr. Covell owned a saw-mill with which was connected a carding-machine on "Roaring Brook," Glastonbury, Conn.

Nine children:

278. ELIJAH COVELL, b. May 16, 1786.
279. ELISHA COVELL, b. June 18, 1788; m. (1) Mary Blague; m. (2) a widow by whom he had five children, one of whom d. young. Res. at time of death of this child in Portland, Conn.
280. SILAS COVELL, b. May 1, 1789; m. Eunice Lattimer; moved to Morgan, Ashtabula County, O., in 1818; had seven children; eldest son Hermon, b. in Bloomfield, Conn.; a dau. became Mrs. Harry Wilber.
281. EDMOND COVELL, b. Aug. 29, 1790.
282. ALFRED COVELL, b. July 30, 1792; d. Sept. 17, 1795.
283. ALVIN COVELL, b. April 2, 1794; m., Feb. 4, 1818, Polly Goslee, dau. of James and Mary (Sumner) Goslee; moved to New York; one child, d. early.

284. ALFRED COVELL, b. Feb. 12, 1796; d. June 13, 1858.
 285. WILLIAM FINLEY COVELL, b. Feb. 13, 1798.
 286. LYDIA COVELL, b. Aug. 11, 1800.

131. ANN¹ HODGE (*Benjamin², Samuel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 11, 1758; married, Oct. 27, 1785, WILLIAM WEBSTER, of whom we have learned little, except that he served in the Revolutionary war from Aug. 25 to Nov. 2, 1777, in Capt. Nathaniel Wales' company, Col. Jonathan Latimer's regiment. The regiment was assigned to General Poor's Continental Brigade, in Gen. Benedict Arnold's division, and fought in both of the battles near Saratoga, Sept. 19 and Oct. 9, 1777, which led to the surrender of General Burgoyne. After the war Mr. Webster settled in Woodstock, Vt., and while living there had a pension granted him. He afterwards moved to a place about three miles south of the village of Northeast, Penn. The old church record at Eastbury, in the town of Glastonbury, Conn., says Ann Hodge married William Phelps at the date of marriage above given. This certainly is wrong. Ann was a great-aunt of the writer, who saw her, living with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. French Barnes, in the fall of 1844, and again in the spring of 1847. She died near Northeast, Nov. 25, 1861, aged almost one hundred and four years.

Five children:

288. EDWARD WEBSTER, b. prob. 1786; d. early.
 289. ELECTA WEBSTER, b. Feb. 2, 1788.
 290. PAMELIA WEBSTER, b. May 1, 1789; m. Joseph McHoeing; she d. Nov. 3, 1830.
 291. DIONILANA WEBSTER, b. , 1791; m. French Barnes; res. near Northeast, Penn; he d. in December, 1844.
 292. JULIA ANN WEBSTER, b. March 6, 1803; d. Sept. 21,

132. JERUSHA⁴ HODGE (*Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 27, 1759; married, Feb. 7, 1780, EBENEZER GOODALE, born 1754, in Glastonbury, Conn., third child of Ebenezer Goodale, born about 1691, and married, March 15, 1717, Sarah Brewer, of Glastonbury; grandson of Richard Goodale, born about 1625, who had for wife Mary, and who died in Boston in 1665; great-grandson of Richard Goodale, Sr., of Great Yarmouth, England, who came to this country in 1637, and settled at Newbury, Mass., and who married, Oct. 22, 1622, in London, Dorothy Whitrents. For the information we give in regard to the ancestral line of this Goodale family we are indebted to Rev. Isaac Goodell, of Fort Worth, Texas, who is engaged on a genealogy of another Goodale (Goodell) branch, and, it is said, already has some ten thousand names on the roll. Mr. Goodale, who became the husband of Jerusha Hodge, served in the Revolutionary war, in the company of Capt. Jonathan Hale, Col. Erastus Wolcott's regiment. This was one of the regiments called into service mainly to guard the frontier until the new army authorized by Congress was well established. It was in service parts of the years 1775 and 1776. For a time after the British retired from Boston it was a part of the Colonial forces in that city.

Nov. 12, 1780, Mr. and Mrs. Goodale renewed their covenant with the church to which they belonged in Glastonbury. In 1821 the family moved to Buffalo, N.Y., and in 1831 removed to Jefferson, Ohio, where she died April 14, 1850, "aged 91."

Ten children:

296. EBENEZER GOODALE, b. , 1781; bap. March 4, 1781.
Rocky Hill, Conn., rec. says he d. Feb. 18, 1847, and that
his wife d. Dec. 29, 1832.

297. JERUSHA GOODALE, b. prob. 1784; bap. March 28, 1784; m., April 8, 1802, John Lucas.
298. DIROXILANA GOODALE, b. Nov. 26, 1785.
299. ASAHIEL GOODALE, b. , 1787; d. Oct. 21, 1789.
300. DARIUS GOODALE, b. Dec. 25, 1789.
301. MIRANDA GOODALE, d. March 15, 1816.
302. AURELIA GOODALE, b. abt. 1792; bap. March 28, 1797.
303. ERASTUS GOODALE, b. Sept. 22, 1794.
304. PHILURA GOODALE, b. prob. 1799; bap. July 14, 1799; d. April 5, 1818.
305. AUSTIN GOODALE, b. Aug. 31, 1806; bap. same day.

134. LOIS¹ HODGE (*Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 25, 1764; married, Jan. 11, 1787, ABNER LOVELAND, born April 18, 1764, and died Sept. 6, 1847. She died Aug. 12, 1835. (The line of descent of the Loveland family, beginning with the two Roberts, both of whom were born in England, runs as follows: First generation, Robert¹; second, Robert²; third, Thomas³; fourth, Thomas⁴; fifth, Elisha⁵; sixth, Elisha⁶; seventh, Abner⁷, who married Lois Hodge.) Mr. Loveland, when only sixteen years of age, enlisted for military service in the Revolutionary war. At the end of this service he shipped on board of a privateer. The ship was captured by the British, and young Loveland became a prisoner. He was confined in prison both at Montreal and at Quebec. He escaped from one of these places, and reached Vermont, but was retaken and carried back to Canada, where he was afterward kept closely guarded until the close of the war. On being released he returned to Glastonbury, Conn., where he married. Soon after his marriage he became a resident of Southfield, Mass., where he remained until 1797. After this he lived at Otis, Mass., and from there, in 1821, moved to Brighton, Lorain County, Ohio, where he continued to live the remainder of his life.

Nine children:

- 307. LUMAN ELISHA LOVELAND, b. Oct. 11, 1787.
- 308. LORIN LOVELAND, b. July 21, 1790.
- 309. LUTHER LOVELAND, b. Aug. 21, 1792.
- 310. LEONARD HODGE LOVELAND, b. Oct. 3, 1794.
- 311. ABNER LOVELAND, b. Nov. 5, 1796.
- 312. SOPHIA LOVELAND, b. May 24, 1799.
- 313. DOROTHY LOVELAND, b. March 12, 1802; m. (1) John Norton; m. (2) Daniel Squires.
- 314. LAVINA LOVELAND, b. Nov. 4, 1805; d. Aug. 14, 1825.
- 315. PAMELIA MINERVA LOVELAND, b. June 7, 1811; m. Samuel Osborn. She d. at Webster City, Iowa.

135. EUNICE¹ HODGE (*Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 11, 1768; married, Nov. 14, 1787, THOMAS WARD, son of Daniel and Rhoda Ward, of the sixth generation from William Ward, who emigrated to this country about 1639. Mr. Ward served in the Revolutionary war from Glastonbury, Conn., and under the act of March 18, 1818, became a pensioner, he having been, as the law provided, nine months or more in the service. His application for a pension is now on file at Hartford, Conn. Mr. Ward soon after his marriage left Glastonbury, but where he settled we have not been able to ascertain. Information has lately come to us leading to the belief that possibly he became a resident of Willimantic, Conn. The records of Glastonbury show the birth of a child born there, by the name of Ward, the year following the marriage of Mr. Ward, which probably was his daughter. That he had other children there is little doubt.

One child:

- 317. CLARISSA WARD, b. , 1788.

FIFTH GENERATION.

136. ASAHEL^s HODGE (*Asahel*¹, *John*¹, *John*², *John*¹).

Born Nov. 7, 1741; married (1), Sept. 15, 1763, THANKFUL POTTER, of Harwinton, Conn.; married (2) SARAH CLAWSON, a widow, whose maiden name was SLOCUM. She was probably born about 1770. He died Feb. 29, 1824. Some time after February, 1828, she married a man by the name of Willson, of Oswego County, N.Y. June 25, 1768, Mr. Hodge bought, in the town of Harwinton, Litchfield County, Conn., fifty acres of land for which he paid forty pounds. The deed read: "Bounded on the west on the Waterbury river." Sept. 4, 1782, he purchased in that town one-fourth of an acre of land with a house thereon which, in 1867, we saw in a good state of preservation.

April 19, 1775, the battle of Lexington was fought, and May 1, thirteen days after, probably as soon as the news of the fight had reached Harwinton, Mr. Hodge volunteered his services for the war. He was made an ensign in the company of Capt. Josiah Starr, Col. Benjamin Hinman's regiment. Ten days after his enlistment Ticonderoga was captured by Col. Ethan Allen, and a few days later Crown Point fell into the hands of the revolutionists. Fearing a recapture of these important points, Colonel Hinman was ordered to reinforce them at once.

Through forced marches and great privations history tells us the men of the regiment suffered greatly from sickness.

The regiment was disbanded the following December, the men having served the full term of their enlistment.

Jan. 1, 1777, Mr. Hodge was commissioned a second lieutenant in Col. John Chandler's regiment, which went into service "for the war." Jan. 1, 1778, Mr. Hodge be-

came a first lieutenant, and Oct. 28, 1779, was commissioned a captain. He served as adjutant of his regiment from May 24, 1778, probably until he became a captain. In the spring of 1777 the regiment went into camp at Peekskill, N.Y. The September following it was under General McDowell in the battle at Germantown, Penn.

It wintered, 1777-8, at Valley Forge, Penn. June 28, 1778, it took part in the battle at Monmouth, N.J., where Washington so severely reprimanded Gen. Charles Lee. After this hard-fought battle the regiment went into camp at White Plains, N.Y.

It wintered at Reading, Penn. The following summer, 1779, it spent on the Hudson river, and the winter of 1779-80 at Morristown, N.J. During the following year it was with the main army on the Hudson and wintered, 1780-1, at camp "Connecticut Village." Many of the regiments had now become so decimated by losses that Congress ordered a consolidation of the forces. Jan. 1, 1783, Mr. Hodge having been in the army six years, besides the term of his first enlistment, and the war evidently being at an end, he retired from the service.

Connecticut records speak of him as "Lieutenant-Colonel," from which it may be inferred he gained that title by service if not by commission. He had, as will be seen, six children, one born during the war, while he was with his regiment at Valley Forge, and the others all young when he went to the war.

He appears to have been at home on furlough April 13, 1778, as at that date, according to the records of Harwinton, he took the so-called "Oath of Fidelity," quite unnecessary, as would seem, in his case. At the close of the war, when the "Society of the Cincinnati" was organized (1783), he became a member.

July 19, 1783, he sold his property in Harwinton, and probably about that time moved to Edinburg, Saratoga County, N.Y., where he married his second wife, and lived at the time of his death. Under the act of Congress of 1818 he became a pensioner. His will, entered for probate at Saratoga Springs, N.Y., March 24, 1824, was as follows:

"In the name of Almighty God, Amen. I, Asahel Hodge, of the town of Edinburg, in the County of Saratoga, and State of New York, being advanced to old age, but of sound mind, do make this my last Will and Testament in the manner following, that is to say: I do give to my beloved wife, Sarah Hodge, all the estate and property that is lawfully mine at my decease, she paying the debts that then may lawfully be due. And I appoint the said Sarah Hodge sole executrix to this my last Will and Testament." The will is witnessed by Samuel Downing,* Constant Tremont, and Lydia Northrup.

An earnest effort has been made to find the residence of some of the descendants of Colonel Hodge, but all labor has been in vain; nor has there been obtained any trace of his children, except the names and dates of birth as they appear on record in the town of Harwinton, Conn.

Six children:

325. DAMARIS (?) HODGE, b. Sept. 20, 1764; name indistinct.

326. ASAHIEL HODGE, b. Dec. (?) 10, 1766; "Dec." indistinct.

* Mr. Downing was the last Revolutionary soldier to receive a pension from the government under the general pension laws. He was born Nov. 31, 1761, and died Feb. 19, 1867, aged one hundred and five years two months and nineteen days.

John Gray, a soldier in the Revolutionary war, late in life had a pension of five hundred dollars per annum granted him by special act of Congress. He was born Jan. 6, 1764, and died March 29, 1868, aged one hundred and four years two months and twenty-two days, outliving Mr. Downing little more than a year, and being in reality the last Revolutionary soldier to draw a pension from the government.

- 327. THANKFUL HODGE, b. Sept. 11, 1769.
- 328. AMOS HODGE, b. Aug. 1, 1771.
- 329. ANDREW HODGE, b. May 10, 1774.
- 330. GILMAN HODGE, b. Dec. 15, 1778.

143. AARON³ THRALL (*Margaret⁴, John², John², John¹*).

Born May 29, 1742; married, Feb. 12, 1766, MARY DOWD, of Goshen, Conn. The family, for a time at least, resided in Torrington, Litchfield County, Conn.

Two children:

- 333. ROGER THRALL, b. March 21, 1767.
- 334. SABRA THRALL, b. April 3, 1769.

144. CHLOE³ THRALL (*Margaret⁴, John², John², John¹*).

Born March 5, 1745; married, Dec. 26, 1764, ROBERT COE, born March 28, 1740, of Winchester, Conn.; son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Elmer) Coe. She died about 1810. He married again, and died at Unadilla, N.Y., in 1830. The children were all born in Winchester.

Five children:

- 340. JOEL COE, b. May 4, 1765.
- 341. ARMANDA COE, b. July 3, 1767 (son).
- 342. ABIGAIL COE, b. Oct. 23, 1769.
- 343. ARIEL COE, b. Oct. 31, 1772.
- 345. ROSWELL COE, b. Feb. 5, 1780.

145. REUBEN³ THIRALL (*Margaret⁴, John², John², John¹*).

Born Feb. 20, 1747; married, Aug. 11, 1765, RUTH BANCROFT, of Torrington, Conn. Resided in that town. He died in 1777. She married (2) Richard Barbour, by whom she had two sons.

Two children:

- 348. ALEXANDER THRALL, b. March 19, 1768; d. Oct. 27, 1786.
- 349. ERASTUS THRALL, b. Feb. 14, 1773; d. unm.

146. LEVI⁵ THRALL (*Margaret⁴, John³, John², John¹*).

Born June 11, 1749; married, Nov. 15, 1770, MARY WHITING, born July 10, 1754, daughter Deacon John and Rebecca (Parmlee) Whiting. Resided Torrington, Conn.

Four children:

- 352. AUGUSTUS THRALL, b. Oct. 9, 1773.
- 353. MARY THRALL, b. Feb. 1, 1776.
- 354. LORIN THRALL.
- 355. AMANDA THRALL, b. March 17, 1785.

147. FRIEND⁵ THRALL (*Margaret⁴, John³, John², John¹*).

Born June 9, 1752; married (1), May 27, 1772, LOIS BARBER, probably daughter of Nathaniel Barber or Barbour. She was baptized July 8, 1753, and quite likely born that year; died July 5, 1773. He probably married (2) SARAH AGARD, born April 9, 1753, daughter of James Agard, of Litchfield, Conn. Residence for some years, Torrington, Conn., where was born the only child of whom we have any account.

One child:

- 357. LOIS THRALL, b. June 26, 1773; d. Oct. 17.

148. NOAH⁵ THRALL (*Margaret⁴, John³, John², John¹*).

Born April 3, 1754; married a woman by the name of FOWLER. Mr. Thrall resided in the west part of a place called Newfield, in the north part of Torrington, Conn.

Four children:

- 361. HARRIET THRALL, d. unm.
- 362. GEORGE WORTHY THRALL, d. unm.
- 363. HOMER FOWLER THRALL, d. unm.
- 364. SOPHIA THRALL, m. John Pitkin, who d. in Vermont.

149. MARGARET^s THRALL (*Margaret⁴, John³, John², John¹*).

Born Jan. 9, 1756; married, probably in 1773, CHARLES THRALL, born June 4, 1747, of Windsor, a supposed cousin, son of Charles and Hannah (Clark) Thrall. Resided Torrington, Conn., where the children here named were born; afterwards went West.

Two children:

- 367. JERUSHA THRALL, b. June 22, 1774.
- 368. RHODA THRALL, b. April 22, 1776.

158. ELIAKIM^s MARSHALL (*Sarah⁴, John³, John², John¹*).

Born Oct. 28, 1754; married, probably in 1787, ANNE PALMER, born May 16, 1762. Mr. Marshall was in the Revolutionary war from Connecticut. He served under Capt. Jonathan Wadsworth, who was mortally wounded in the battle of Stillwater, Sept. 19, 1777, Col. Thaddeus Cook's regiment. Mr. Marshall was in the same battle. The regiment was in service three months — marched Aug. 26, and discharged Nov. 3, 1777. Mr. Marshall was a representative from Windsor during the year 1779 to and including 1783. He was regarded as a man of sterling qualities.

Five children:

- 372. ALMEDA MARSHALL, b. Jan. 18, 1788.
- 373. WARREN MARSHALL, b. Oct. 6, 1789.

- 374. NANCY MARSHALL, b. Dec. 5, 1791.
- 375. EMILY MARSHALL, b. July 18, 1794; m. Philip Wolcott, of Windsor; no children.
- 376. CANDACE MARSHALL, m. L. Sheldon, of New York; several children.

166. DANIEL⁵ HODGE (*Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Jan. , 1766; married, May , 1796, BETSEY SMITH, of West Haven, Conn. He died Jan. 18, 1832; was a school teacher many years; considered exceedingly well versed in the Scriptures; became totally blind a number of years before his death. His children, it is supposed, were all born in West Haven.

Eleven children:

- 380. MEDITABLE HODGE, b. Jan. 1, 1797; m., April 2, 1837, Herschel Stevens. She was a woman of retentive memory; saw her in 1867, in New Haven, Conn.
- 381. ELIAS HODGE, b. Oct. 8, 1800.
- 382. ELIJAH HODGE, b. Oct. 8, 1800; d. in 1803.
- 383. ELIZA HODGE, b. Feb. 12, 1803; m., April 22, 1822, Andrew Hibbard. She d. Aug. 4, 1833, of cholera, in New York; had three sons.
- 384. SARAH HODGE, b. April 16, 1805.
- 385. LAURA HODGE, b. Aug. 22, 1808; m. Seymour Bracket; two children.
- 386. JAMES HODGE, b. July 15, 1814; d. in 1832.
- 387. MARTHA HODGE, b. Jan. 20, 1816; unm.
- 388. DAVID HODGE, b. April 8, 1818; m. (1), June 1, 1841, Harriet P. Brown, who d. Oct. 31, 1844; m. (2) Rachel Demot, who d. Dec. 25, 1866, at Augusta, Ga.; had four children; all d. in 1867, except one.
- 389. WILLIAM HODGE, b. March 3, 1820; d. Dec. 31, 1836, at Santa Cruz, Mexico.
- 390. CHARLES HODGE, b. April 3, 1822; d. same year.

168. BENJAMIN⁵ HODGE (*Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born 1768-9; married, June 2, 1790, ELOPHAL MAL-LORY. Mr. Hodge lived in Milford, Conn., but we have been unable to learn anything in regard to him or his wife, except that they had children as here given.

Three children:

392. SARAH HODGE, b. Dec. 13, 1790.

393. BENJAMIN HODGE, b. Sept. 13, 1792.

394. ALDEN HODGE, b. in 1794; d. young.

173. JESSE⁵ HODGE (*Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born April 28, 1780; married (1), May 19, 1805, NANCY HOOKER, born 1784, and died July 6, 1807; married (2), about 1816, LUCY CANDEE, born 1783, daughter of David Trowbridge, and widow of Zacheus Candee, who died Sept. 25, 1815. She died March 31, 1843, of cancer. Mr. Hodge died April 9, 1856. It is probable that it was this Jesse Hodge who was in the war of 1812-14. (See Connecticut records.) He was made an elector in Milford, Conn., July 4, 1818. June 4, 1826, he changed from the Congregational Church in North Milford to the church in Milford, and Sept. 4, 1831, became by letter a member of the church in West Haven, where he was a deacon, and it is said stood high in the community. We have no account of any children except one had by his first wife.

One child:

397. NANCY SELINA HODGE, b. April 10, 1806; unm.

181. EUNICE^s HODGE (*William^s, Thomas^s, Thomas^s, John¹*).

Born Sept. 9, 1758; married, probably 1778-9, JOEL TERRILL, born July 23, 1757, in Connecticut; had two children born in that state. In 1795 he was administrator on the estate of Josiah Terrill; moved to Lorain County, Ohio, May 10, 1810, where both died, she Aug. 10, 1843, and he March 22, 1825.

Two children:

403. WYLLYS TERRILL, b. Feb. 15, 1780.

404. POLLY TERRILL, d. at the age of eighteen in Connecticut.

182. BELINDA^s HODGE (*William^s, Thomas^s, Thomas^s, John¹*).

Born in 1779; married Maj. DAVID BEEBE, who died Aug. 27, 1857, "aged 76." She died March 3, 1865, "aged 86." Resided in Lorain County, Ohio. Perhaps when a child she was called "Mabel."

Seven children:

409. ELECTA BEEBE, m. Elias Hann, and had several children; one, Electa, m. E. K. Williams, of Grand Ledge, Mich.

410. CAROLINE BEEBE, m. Bennet Smith, and had Edward, who lives in Toledo, Everand, Charles, George, and Louise, who m. James Musson.

411. NANCY BEEBE, b. April 18, 1812; m., Sept. 27, 1834, Mark Humphrey, b. June 29, 1813; had James Bird, b. July 13, 1836, who m. Margaret Marie Miller; and Mary Louise, b. March 19, 1840, who m. James Robinson, b. in England and now res. Ridgeville, Ohio. Mrs. Humphrey d. Feb. 26, 1872. He d. May 26, 1882.

412. FANNY BEEBE, m. T. A. Benham; had Melvin, now of Le Roy, Medina County, Ohio; Irene, now d., who m. J. H. Terrill; Alonzo, who res. in Connecticut; and Edward Smith.

413. HAZARD BEEBE, m. Lucinda Finch; had Elois, who never married, and Clarie, who res. in Minnesota.

414. DAVID BEEBE, m. Chloe Caulkins; had "Nell," who m. A. T. Parsons, of Elyria, Ohio, and Caroline, who m. William Parsons, of Detroit, Mich.
415. BELINDA BEEBE, b. March 13, 1835; m. Bradford Race, b. Oct. 7, 1821, and d. Sept. 1, 1896. She d. Oct. 20, 1861. Had Linn M., b. Dec. 9, 1848, who m. Edward Ames; both now living in Ridgeville, Lorain County, Ohio. We are indebted to Mrs. Ames for most of the facts here given relating to the Terrill and Beebe families.

189. BENJAMIN⁵ HODGE (*Benjamin*⁴, *Henry*³, *Henry*², *John*¹).

Born probably 1785; married, March 24, 1808, HANNAH SMITH, of Waybridge, Vt. He died August, 1857. Resided when first married at Bridport, Vt.; from there moved to Hammond County, N.Y., and from there to Adrian, Mich. First three children were born in Bridport, the next two in Hammond County, N.Y., and the last two perhaps in Adrian, Mich.

Seven children:

418. HENRY HODGE, b. , 1809.
 419. MILO HODGE.
 420. AGNES HODGE.
 421. IRA HODGE, d. in Santa Cruz, Mexico.
 422. LOYAL C. HODGE, settled in Candee City, Mo.
 423. OLIVER PERRY HODGE, b. May 23, 1817.
 424. JOHN D. HODGE, b. Jan. 9, 1824.

205. LEVI⁵ HODGE (*Thomas*⁴, *Samuel*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Feb. 10, 1793; married, , 1816-7, FANNY WEATHERBY, born 1797, and died 1875, Hardwick, Vt. He died same place, April 25, 1880. The Rumney, N.H., church records show that Oct. 7, 1810, Mr. Hodge was admitted to the church in that place. After the birth of his first three children, three boys were born, who died in

infancy, and so far as known without having had names given them.

Four children:

- 426. ALMIRA HODGE, b. , 1818; m. Ephraim C. Skinner.
- 427. HARRIET HODGE, b. , 1820; m. Nathaniel Johnson.
- 428. MARVIN G. HODGE, b. Feb. 20, 1822.
- 429. FRANCES R. HODGE, b. , 1836; m. John C. Bradley.

206. SOLOMON¹ HODGE (*Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 18, 1794; married, as is supposed, AFFIA —, who died in 1843, Bristol, N.H. He died Feb. 5, 1832; buried at Rumney, N.H., where it is supposed he resided at time of his death.

Four children:

- 432. MARY BENNETT HODGE, b. Nov. 16, 1816.
- 433. SYLVINA HODGE, b. Jan. 13, 1819.
- 434. LEVI WELLS HODGE, b. Feb. 6, 1823; prob. m., Oct. 9, 1845, Lavinia W. Batchelder, b. Aug. 3, 1824, dau. Nathan and Olive (Currier) Batchelder. After Mr. Hodge's death she m. Charles Noyes. Had by Mr. Hodge son Marion T., b. July 11, 1851, who m., Feb. 15, 1876, Mary E. Jeness, dau. Jacob J. Jeness, of Plymouth; res. in New Hampshire. After her death he m., June 6, 1894, Mary J. Plummer, then "aged 33," of Hillsborough, N.H.
- 435. NOAH CUMMINGS HODGE, b. May 23, 1825; prob. m., in 1853, Charlotte Stephens, of Bradford, N.H.

207. SAMUEL¹ HODGE (*Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 1, 1796; married, Dec. 30, 1831, CLARISSA HOMAN, born March 13 or 19, 1797, and died July 6, 1844; daughter Dustin and Abigail (Greeley) Homan. Abigail Greeley was a sister of Zacheus Greeley, father of

Horace Greeley, founder of the "New York Tribune." Dustin Homan was a descendant of Thomas and Hannah Dustin, of Indian capture fame, at Haverhill, Mass. (See "Capture of Hannah Dustin.")

Mr. Hodge was a soldier in the second war with Great Britain, 1812-14, and served under Col. Winfield Scott at Lundy's Lane, or Bridgewater, Can., July 25, 1814, in the battle of that date.

He was a blacksmith by trade, and in 1830 resided in Essex, N.Y. That year he suddenly disappeared, and no trace of him since then has ever been found. It is supposed that he was drowned in Lake Champlain, on the western border of which is the village of Essex where he lived. At the time of his disappearance he had a large family to whom he was much devoted. Soon after his supposed death, the mother, with her five small children, went East to her old home.

Five children:

438. FREEMAN ORSON HODGE, b. Oct. 13, 1822.

439. LYMAN FERDINAND HODGE, b. June 4, 1824.

440. CORDELIA ANN HODGE, b. July 27, 1826.

441. LUCINDA JANE HODGE, b. July 6, 1828.

442. CHARLES DUSTIN HODGE, b. Aug. 30, 1830; d. Dec. 20, 1831.

208. EDWARD¹ HODGE (*Thomas¹, Samuel², Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 18, 1798; married, Sept. 13, 1824, BETSEY PITTS, born Oct. 19, 1799, and died Dec. 25, 1869, daughter Levi and Hannah (Wilber) Pitts, who were married Dec. 13, 1787. Mr. Hodge was a clergyman. He died at Rumney, N.H., and his wife at Fairfield, Mich.

Three children :

444. NANCY JUDSON HODGE, b. Aug. 28, 1826.

445. ADELPHIA KEZIA HODGE, b. Dec. 11, 1831.

446. LUCY E. HODGE, b. Jan. 21, 1836; m. Daniel Cole Tunison; res. Fairfield, Mich.

211. NATHANIEL⁵ HODGE (*Thomas⁴, Samuel⁴, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 8, 1804; married MARY SANBORN, born May 12, 1808, and died June 29, 1885, daughter Joseph and Sarah (Perkins) Sanborn, of Thornton, N.H. Mr. Hodge died March 8, 1873, Rumney, N.H.

Eight children :

448. HIRAM OSCAR HODGE, m. Eliza Jane Colby; res. Danvers, Mass.; had six children: Etta, Jennie, Ida, Deil, Frank, and Harry.

449. CAROLINE HODGE, m. Rial Avery, b. Derby, Conn.; res. Rumney, N.H., and there had b. Clara Jane, Ella Angelette, and Frank Edmond, who d. from a railroad accident Sept. 27, 1895, "aged thirty-two years six months and seventeen days;" unm.

450. LAURA HODGE, b. Aug. 26, 1832.

451. LUCY CALISTA HODGE, m. Lewis Mitchell; had Lucretia Anna, who m. a man by the name of Moore; Belinda Emeline, who d. unm.; and Charles E.

452. NATHANIEL ALVA HODGE, m. Orissa Dunham; res. Danvers, Mass.; had Roxy, Etta, Jennie, and Nathan.

453. LEONORA MARIA HODGE, m. James Collins; res. Laconia, N.H.; had Charles, and Hattie, who m. George Sanborn, and had three children.

454. ROXY ANN HODGE, dead.

455. MARY ANN HODGE, dead.

214. HIRAM DUSTIN⁵ HODGE (*Thomas⁴, Samuel⁴, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 29, 1813; married (1), Dec. 17, 1834, MELINDA JOSLIN, died Aug. , 1837; married (2), Nov. 23,

1838, VASHTI B. COLBY, born Jan. , 1819, daughter of Ebenezer and Sally (Blodgett) Colby, of Sanbornton, N.H.; she died June 6, 1839, of consumption; married (3), Nov. 28, 1839, ESTER M. GREENOUGH, born Oct. 28, 1821, Colchester, Vt., and in 1897 was living at Marion, Kan. Mr. Hodge died Dec. 10, 1876. He was both an M.D. and a D.D. He studied with a view of going with Adoniram Judson as a missionary to Burmah, India, but just before the time set for his departure his health broke down and he was compelled to remain at home. He was an invalid the remainder of his life. He devoted what vitality he had in Christian work, at times preaching when his voice would permit, and the balance of his time practising as a physician.

His sound judgment and honesty of purpose made him a frequent arbitrator in personal disputes, and it is said he settled nearly as many cases as the local courts.

His son Edward A. in a letter says of him: "It was his great grief that his health would not permit him to go to the front and help care for the sick and wounded soldiers in the Civil war, but his letters to those he knew in the service, sick in the hospitals, came to them like a fresh breeze from northern pines, and helped the boys greatly to endure their sufferings in the great cause of liberty and unity." Mr. Hodge had by his first wife one child and by his third four.

Five children:

- 457. EDWARD A. HODGE, b. April 12, 1836.
- 458. VASHTI M. HODGE, b. April 25, 1843; m., June 10, 1865, Jarvis Dwight Tilson, son of Jarvis and Lydia Tilson, of Braintree, Vt.
- 459. STEPHEN DWIGHT HODGE, b. Feb. 2, 1847.
- 460. HATTIE R. HODGE, b. Jan. 22, 1849; d. Sept. 7, 1865.
- 461. ELIZABETH E. HODGE, b. May 5, 1852.

217. ICHABOD⁵ HODGE (*Israel⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 1, 1786; married WELTHY MARTIN, born Nov. 20, 1784, and died June 6, 1847. He died Oct. 18, 1857. Mr. Hodge about 1804 moved with his parents from Chatham, Conn., to Richfield, N.Y., and from there to Mendon, Monroe County, in the same State. In 1831 he located in Warsaw, N.Y. In 1837 he and his son Martin purchased a grist-mill there. Mr. Hodge became a deacon in the church (Baptist), and stood high as a business man.

The "History of Warsaw" gives a genealogy of the family, commencing with the father, Israel. There is an s added to the name, making it Hodges. This is probably a mistake of the author of the work, or the printer. Certain it is that the family name has been plain Hodge for more than two hundred years.

Six children:

- 463. MARTIN HODGE, b. Oct. 9, 1809.
- 464. SYLVINA HODGE, b. April 16, 1812; m. Hiram E. Adams, b. 1811, son of Levi and Desdemona (Munger) Adams. His first wife was Sylvina's sister, Margaret.
- 465. PERRY HODGE, b. Oct. 10, 1814; m. Sarah Yates, who d. Aug. 4, 1845; had 8 children, 5 of whom d. early; the others were Alida, Martin, and George.
- 466. ISRAEL HODGE, b. July 16, 1817.
- 467. MARGARET HODGE, b. April 4, 1823; m. Hiram E. Adams. He had for (2) w. Sylvina, the sister as above noted; had by this (1) w. 2 children.
- 468. ELIZA ANN HODGE, b. April 16, 1825; supposed to be married and now a res. of Warsaw.

223. SOLOMON⁵ HODGE (*Israel⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 14, 1798; married, Jan. 8, 1826, RUTH AUS-

TIN, daughter of Peter Austin, of Pittstown, Rensselaer County, N.Y. No family history could be obtained, though much effort has been made in that direction.

Five children:

- 470. LOTON S. HODGE, b. Jan. 5, 1827.
- 471. RICHARD HODGE, b. April 15, 1829.
- 472. MARY HODGE, b. Feb. 18, 1831.
- 473. AUSTIN HODGE, b. May 27, 1835.
- 474. HARRIET HODGE, b. May 30, 1837.

224. LOTON S.^s HODGE (*Israel¹, Samuel¹, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 29, 1800; married, April 29, 1835, MERCY BROWN. Mr. Hodge was born in Chatham, Conn., and from there taken by his parents to Richfield, N.Y., when he was about four years old. Later the parents moved to Mendon in that State. Here young Loton grew to manhood, and it is probable in that town he married and for a time at least resided.

Seven children:

- 477. MARIA HODGE, b. Nov. 26, 1837.
- 478. ISRAEL HODGE, b. March 12, 1840; d. May 12, 1840.
- 479. NELSON HODGE, b. July 5, 1842.
- 480. GEORGE HODGE, b. Feb. 28, 1845.
- 481. AMELIA HODGE, b. May 12, 1847.
- 482. ELLA HODGE, b. April 28, 1850.
- 483. WILLIAM HODGE, b. April 5, 1854.

235. ELIJAH^s HODGE (*Elijah¹, John², Samuel², John¹*).

Born in 1773; married probably JERUSHA BELL, born in 1772 and died May 20, 1856. Mr. Hodge evidently resided in Glastonbury, Conn. The records of that town give a very imperfect list of his children, and it is very

probable that the order of births which we give is not altogether correct.

Nine children:

- 485. LEWIS HODGE, prob. m. Lucinda Hoadley, dau. of Ithiel and Olive Catherine (Johnson) Hoadley, by whom had Charles, Woodbridge, and a daughter.
- 486. WILLIAM HODGE, b. in 1803.
- 487. ANNA HODGE, b. in 1804; prob. m. Dudley House, b. 1799 and d. Aug. 21, 1851. She d. Aug. 21, 1877; res. Glastonbury.
- 488. LEVI HODGE.*
- 489. ELECTA HODGE, prob. m., Dec. 7, 1830. Ihave Weir.
- 490. REBECCA HODGE.
- 491. CLARISSA (or CLARINDA) HODGE.
- 492. EMILY HODGE, b. prob. abt. 1808; m. Leonard Goodale, b. Oct. 2, 1805, son of Avery Goodale, of Portland, Conn. Leonard d. July 11, 1857; had Philura; Helen, who m. a Filley, res. Broad Brook, Conn.; Adelaide, who m. Benjamin Dewitt, of Hornellsville, N.Y.; and Dwight Goodale, who res. in Windsorville, Conn.
- 493. LUCY HODGE, b. in 1816.

236. BENAJAH⁵ HODGE (*Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. , 1775; married, probably in 1796, RHODA CHAPMAN, born , 1776, and died April 14, 1852. He died April 28, 1845; residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

Nine children:

- 495. HIRAM HODGE, b. Oct. 20, 1797; m., July 3, 1820, Phyllenia Matson, b. Feb. 16 or 23, 1796, and d. Sept. 27, 1865. He d. Nov. 26, 1860. Executed a will April 8, 1859, in which no mention is made of any children.
- 496. HATSEL HODGE, b. March 19, 1799.
- 497. SELDON HODGE, b. May 27, 1801.
- 498. BENJAMIN HODGE, b. Jan. 6, 1805.

* A Levi Hodge and wife Catherine had a son⁵, March 9, 1854. He at the birth of child was aged 25, and she 24. (Glastonbury, Conn., rec.)

- 499. ORIN HODGE, b. Nov. 6, 1809.
- 500. PRUDENCE HODGE, b. Nov. 15, 1811; d. April 12, 1876, unm.
- 501. RHODA HODGE, b. Nov. 8, 1813.
- 502. LUCY HODGE, b. July 17, 1815; d. May 7, 1816.
- 503. ALSOP HODGE, b. July 22, 1818.

237. ELIZUR⁵ HODGE (*Elijah¹, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 15, 1778; married, July 3, 1800, EDE HALE, born Oct. 27, 1780. Mr. Hodge resided in that part of Glastonbury, Conn., which in an early day often was called "Hodgetown."

Thirteen children, seven sons and six daughters:

- 505. DAVID HODGE, b. Sept. 20, 1801.
- 506. DANIEL HODGE, b. March 6, 1803; d. 1861, Gilead, Conn.; m. and had George H., who resided in Hebron, Conn.
- 507. DUDLEY HODGE, b. Sept. 16, 1804.
- 508. ALMIRA HODGE, b. Nov. 4, 1806; m. Franklin Lewis; had a son; she d. near Little Falls, N.Y.
- 509. CYPHIA HODGE, b. Oct. 12, 1808; d. June 19, 1813.
- 510. ELIZA HODGE, b. May 30, 1811; one record calls her "Brittia."
- 511. AMY HODGE, b. Feb. 20, 1813; m. and went to Ohio.
- 512. SAMANTHA HODGE, b. March 5, 1815.
- 513. ELISHA HODGE, b. Dec. 31, 1817.
- 514. ELIJAH HODGE, b. Dec. 31, 1817.
- 515. ELIZUR HODGE, b. Feb. 19, 1819.
- 516. CYPHIA HODGE, b. June 24, 1821.
- 517. DEWITT C. HODGE, b. abt. 1823; d. Bridgeport, Conn.; no heirs.

239. BURRILL⁵ HODGE (*Elijah¹, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born 1781; married POLLY HODGE, born Aug. 10, 1790, and died July 18, 1853, daughter Eli Hodge. (See No. 263.) Mr. Hodge died Sept. 1, 1853; residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

Five children:

- 518. ANSON HODGE, b. July 18, 1815.
- 519. GEORGE HODGE, m. and supposed to have had Elizabeth, who res. at Cromwell, Conn., and another dau., who m. a Perrin, who lived in Hartford, and there d. in 1869.
- 520. CHAUNCEY HODGE, b. in 1829.
- 521. NANCY HODGE, m. a Stebbins.
- 522. BETSEY HODGE, m. a Chapman.

241. NOEL¹ HODGE (*Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born March 21, 1792; married, Oct. 4, 1819, RUBY BROWN, born Aug. 17, 1799, and died April 29, 1863. He died Aug. 27, 1853, says family record. Church record says "September." Mr. Hodge served under the command of Capt. Jared Strickland, in the second war with Great Britain, 1812-14. It is related of him that when he was an old man one day some "sports" from Hartford came along, one of them calling him to the fence by the roadside, as though he had something of importance to ask or say, when the following dialogue took place: Smart youth: "Old man, how far is it to h-l?" Old man: "Young man, you are very near there: I think a few more drinks of whiskey will land you inside the gates." Mr. Hodge resided all his life in Glastonbury, Conn. His family of sixteen children warrants the belief that he did not fear the population of the earth was becoming too great. He honored three of his sons by naming them after three of the distinguished presidents of the United States — Washington, Jefferson, and Jackson, who no doubt were his types of great men.

Sixteen children:

- 525. ELIZABETH HODGE, b. Sept. 26, 1820.
- 526. CHANCEY HODGE, b. June 13, 1822.
- 527. LODRICK HODGE, b. Nov. 13, 1823.

- 528. ROSWILL HODGE, b. April 18, 1825.
- 529. SARAH HODGE, b. Nov. 22, 1826.
- 530. JOHN BROWN HODGE, b. Feb. 21, 1828.
- 531. LUCY PHYLENIA HODGE, b. Oct. 22, 1829.
- 532. GEORGE WASHINGTON HODGE, b. July 24, 1831; d. March 17, 1832.
- 533. THOMAS JEFFERSON HODGE, b. Oct. 17, 1833.
- 534. LYDIA HODGE, b. March 7, 1835; d. Aug. 31, 1857.
- 535. ANDREW JACKSON HODGE, b. Aug. 26, 1836.
- 536. RUBY HODGE, b. April 28, 1838; m., April 29, 1860, Dwight Hurlbut, b. Nov. 3, 1838, son of David and Electa Ann (Jones) Hurlbut. Ruby Hodge Hurlbut d. Sept. 10, 1860; res. Portland, Conn.
- 537. ELENOR L. HODGE, b. May 25, 1840.
- 538. MIRANDA HODGE, b. Jan. 11, 1842; d. Nov. 22, 1842.
- 539. AMANDA ALICE HODGE, b. April 30, 1844.
- 540. NAOMI HODGE, b. April 13, 1846; d. Nov. 27, 1846.

242. SARAH⁵ HODGE (*Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born about 1794; married, Dec. 3, 1815, ISAAC POLLY, supposed to have resided in Chatham, Conn. The records there show the following births:

Four children:

- 541. SARAH ANN POLLY, b. Oct. 6, 1817.
- 542. HARRIET POLLY, b. Aug. 28, 1819.
- 543. ELIZABETH POLLY, b. June 26, 1821.
- 544. ISAAC POLLY, b. prob. 1823; changed his name to Whiting, because, as is said, he did not like the name Polly.

243. LYDIA⁵ HODGE (*Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born about 1796; married, May 30, 1816, LUTHER MATSON, born Feb. 23, 1798, son of Ezra and Mary (Eastman) Matson; resided Glastonbury, Conn.

Four children :

- 547. LINDA MATSON, b. March 25, 1817.
- 548. MARY ANN MATSON, b. May 7, 1819.
- 549. EZRA MATSON, b. March 14, 1822.
- 550. EASTMAN MATSON, b. Jan. 7, 1831.

254. SYLVANUS¹ HODGE (*Jonathan¹, John¹, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 5, 1802; married, April 16, 1824, SALLY S. ROSE, born June 11, 1808, and died June 9, 1888. He died Sept. 27, 1885. In 1878 the family was resident at Blooming Valley, Penn. It is regretted that no more facts have been obtained in regard to this large line of children and grandchildren, in all fully seventy.

Twelve children :

- 552. MARY ADDIA HODGE, b. Feb. 19, 1825; m., Feb. 5, 1843, David M. Radle, b. May 20, 1822; 10 children; res. Guy Mills, Penn.
- 553. ABIGAIL A. HODGE, b. March 3, 1826; m., Feb. 4, 1843, Lorin Davidson; 6 children.
- 554. OLIVE S. HODGE, b. July 30, 1827; m., Sept. 27, 1842, Augustus Childs.
- 555. ROSWELL D. HODGE, b. March 19, 1830; d. Oct. 29, 1859.
- 556. JULIA A. HODGE, b. Aug. 10, 1832; m., July 29, 1850, Rufus Hoyt; 5 children.
- 557. MALVINA A. HODGE, b. Nov. 18, 1834; m., Aug. 27, 1861, Stephen Clark; 6 children.
- 558. WILLIAM R. HODGE, b. Feb. 11, 1838; m. 1857; d. March 1, 1862, from wound received at Fort Donaldson, while in the army.
- 559. JESSE M. HODGE, b. Jan. 23, 1840; m., Aug. 9, 1863, Martha Wood.
- 560. PAMELIA ACHSA HODGE, b. Sept. 25, 1841; m., Sept. 25, 1860, Erastus Wood.
- 561. CHARLES WESLEY HODGE, b. Nov. 27, 1844; m., Sept. 26, 1866, Josephine Bly; 2 children; res. Charming Valley, Penn.

562. ARTHUR A. HODGE, b. Sept. 17, 1848; m., Nov. 26, 1871,
Jennie Waite; 8 children.
563. EDWIN C. HODGE, b. Aug. 12, 1851; m., Nov. 13, 1878,
Alice Wood; 8 children.

260. ASA⁵ HODGE (*Eli¹, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 27, 1784; married probably CLARISSA. Our information in regard to this family is quite limited. What we have was mostly taken from a manuscript book which belonged to Mr. W. S. Goslee, of Glastonbury, Conn., now deceased. Mr. Goslee just before his death copied from the old records of Glastonbury much valuable information relating to births, marriages, and deaths of the early settlers of that town. In 1895 the book was in the hands of the town clerk of Glastonbury, though the property of the widow of Mr. Goslee. The clerk, while we were examining the work in the year above mentioned, said to us, "When I go out of office I shall take the book with me." We make this statement that others may know the probable whereabouts of this valuable work.

Mr. Hodge lived in Glastonbury many years and perhaps died there, though we find no record of his death, or that of his wife.

His children were all born in that town, or at least those of whom we have any account.

Eight children:

564. HENRY HODGE, b. June 19, 1802.
565. SILAS HODGE, b. June 23, 1804.
566. CLARISSA HODGE, b. May 23, 1806.
567. MINERVA HODGE, b. April 23, 1810.
568. ALFRED HODGE, b. Nov. 5, 1812.
569. JAMES HODGE, b. Aug. 3, 1815. This may have been the James R. who married, Nov. 13, 1845, Abigail D. Kendall, of Suffield, Conn., who died Jan. 23, 1886, in Granville, Mass., "aged 72 years 6 mos."

570. LYMAN F. HODGE, b. June 9, 1819.

571. MARY HODGE, b. Sept. 17, 1822.

262. IRA⁵ HODGE (*Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 2, 1788; married, Sept. 11, 1808, MARY SLAFTER, born March 3, 1789, and died in 1872, at Big Rock, Ill., daughter of Moses Slafter, of Ellington, Conn. Mr. Hodge died September, 1876, in Kansas. The land records of Enfield, Conn., show that he was a party to several land transactions in that town beginning Jan. 27, 1815, and extending to May 3, 1839. In 1837 he is supposed to have moved from Connecticut to Illinois, and later to Kansas. Some of the family have added an s to their name, writing it Hodges. We have the names of but three children, but it is probable that there were others.

Three children:

573. CYRUS HODGE, b. July 25, 1809.

574. MIRANDA HODGE, b. Aug. 11, 1814; d. Jan. 28, 1815.

575. HORATIO FRANKLIN HODGE, b. Oct. 14, 1821.

268. WILLIAM⁵ HODGE (*Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 2, 1781; married, March 25, 1802, SALLY ABBOTT, born April 3, 1787, and died March 9, 1868. daughter of Daniel Abbott, of Exeter, Otsego County, N.Y., who moved to Hamburg, Erie County, N.Y., in 1810. Mr. Hodge died Sept. 18, 1848. He was born in Glastonbury, Conn., and when thirteen years of age accompanied his parents from Connecticut to their new home in Otsego County, New York, where several years he taught school. Accompanied by his wife and two children, with a number of other families, June 16, 1805,

he entered Buffalo Creek, and soon went to living at "Cold Springs," now a part of Buffalo, N.Y. The party in their journey travelled by the same route followed by Benjamin Hodge, the father, a year later, as given on a previous page. (See No. 128.) Mr. Hodge bought land and built a house. Soon after he engaged in the mercantile trade, then kept a tavern, manufactured brick, and followed other business pursuits. Dec. 30, 1813, when Buffalo was burned by the British, Mr. Hodge was keeping tavern in a large brick building, which he had just completed. In the cellar of this building was stored a large quantity of liquors and merchandise belonging chiefly to Buffalo merchants, who, fearing the British might attack Buffalo, had taken it to Mr. Hodge's house at the "Springs" for greater safety. It was expected that the militia stationed at the "Hill," near the residence of Mr. Hodge, would make a stand and probably drive back any invaders. However, upon the landing of the British at Black Rock, a few miles from the "Hill," the militia hastened to that point, but soon gave way, and did not even rally at their old quarters. The second day after the landing of the British, Jan. 1, 1814, a squad of the enemy, accompanied by a number of Indian allies, appeared at the residence of Mr. Hodge, who, with his family, had gone into the country for safety, and after loading themselves with plunder, set fire to the building, which was soon consumed. Judge Eddy, a resident at the "Springs," who had been taken a prisoner, in order to secure his own release gave information to his captors which led to this destruction. After the war Mr. Hodge rebuilt his house, using the old brick walls, which the fire had not materially damaged. A good many years later the old building was torn down, and a new fine structure erected in its place.

This building is still standing, and may be seen on the northwest corner of Main and Utica streets.

Dec. 26, 1838, the "Buffalo Bank" was organized with a capital of \$100,000, Pierre A. Barker, William Hodge, Sr., and William Hodge, Jr., being the incorporators. Philander Hodge, another son of William Hodge, Sr., had an interest in the bank, and was one of its officers. Mr. Barker, president of the bank, proved to be a poor manager, and the institution soon failed. The chief cause of the failure, however, should be attributed to the great financial panic which swept over the country at that time. Mr. Hodge, Sr., was much the largest stockholder in the bank, in fact furnished most of the available capital, and in the failure necessarily lost largely, in all about \$80,000. In time he recovered from the crippled condition this failure brought upon him, and at his death he left a large property, much of it in land now within the limits of the city of Buffalo. For many years he was a deacon of the church. Though a close calculator in business affairs, he had the confidence of those who knew him well, and died much respected.

Thirteen children:

- 578. SARAH HODGE, b. Jan. 16, 1803; d. March 30, 1871. *um*
- 579. WILLIAM HODGE, b. Dec. 20, 1804.
- 580. SOPHIA HODGE, b. Jan. 11, 1807; m., May 26, 1835, WILLIAM V. WAY, of Toledo, O.; no children; a lovable woman.
- 581. PHILANDER HODGE, b. Feb. 14, 1809.
- 582. SARGINA HODGE, b. Jan. 9, 1811; d. May 28, 1812. While playing in a yard a rooster flew at her and stuck his spurs in her head, from the effects of which she soon died.
- 583. JULIA ADALINE HODGE, b. Oct. 31, 1813; d. Aug. 15, 1832.
- 584. SALLY ABBOTT HODGE, b. Dec. 10, 1815; d. at birth.
- 585. MARY BEAUFORT HODGE, b. Nov. 4, 1816.

- 586. JOSEPH HODGE, b. July 25, 1821; d. Oct. 26, 1886, unm.
- 587. JASPER HODGE, b. Jan. 3, 1824; d. Aug. 24, 1874; m. a widow who had several children, but had none of his own.
- 588. SUSAN MARIA HODGE, b. June 2, 1826; d. Aug. 14, 1847; a beautiful girl.
- 589. HELEN LOUISE HODGE, b. March 4, 1830.
- 590. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN HODGE, b. Oct. 26, 1833.

272. LORIN^s HODGE (*Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 6, 1789; married (1), March 18, 1812, PHOEBE BAKER, born May 6, 1797, and died March 18, 1823; married (2), Oct. 28, 1824, AMANDA MALLORY, born June 4, 1806, and died Aug. 8, 1825; married (3), Oct. 12, 1826, widow PATIENCE LOOMIS, *née* TURNER, born Feb. 18, 1795, and died June 14, 1888. He died Jan. 13, 1870. Mr. Hodge was in the battle at Black Rock, on the Niagara river, in 1813, when the British burned Buffalo. He lived for a time, in his early married life, at Mackinaw, Mich., and then settled at or near Jefferson, Ashtabula County, Ohio, where he kept a hotel, then dealt in merchandise and farming. Several years he was probate judge, and at one time a colonel in the militia.

Four children:

- 591. ARMIETTA ADELIA HODGE, b. Oct. 18, 1816. (See William Hodge, No. 579.)
- 592. CORDLIA AUGUSTA HODGE, b. Sept. 25, 1818.
- 593. CAROLINE ELIZABETH HODGE, b. Oct. 18, 1820; m. Elias Green, who d. Aug. 30, 1840, Jeffersonville, Ind. She d. 1838.
- 594. VARNUM J. C. HODGE, b. April 30, 1822.

274. CLARISSA⁵ HODGE (*Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 26, 1792; married, Feb. 1, 1818, REUBEN H. AYLSWORTH, born 1790, and died May, 1826. She died March 21, 1837. Resided in Monroe, Mich., until the death of Mr. Aylsworth, when the widow with her children went to Buffalo, N.Y., her home before marriage. Here she died.

Six children:

- 596. VIENNA CLARISSA AYLSWORTH, b. Nov. 21, 1818.
- 597. PHILANDER AYLSWORTH, b. April 11, 1820.
- 598. SARAH ELIZABETH AYLSWORTH, b. June 13, 1821.
- 599. MARTIN AYLSWORTH, b. Nov. 24, 1822; d. April 6, 1848.
In June, 1842, he enlisted in the navy and went on a sea voyage, on the ship of war "Columbus," returning at the end of two years. He was drowned in Buffalo harbor.
- 600. REUBEN HUMPHREY AYLSWORTH, b. Nov. 2, 1824; d. October, 1863, while in the United States army, Co. F, 41st Regiment Ohio Volunteers. He died from the effects of a wound received in the battle at Chickamauga.
- 601. CHARLES HODGE AYLSWORTH, b. Dec. 16, 1826.

275. ALFRED⁵ HODGE (*Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born March 9, 1795; married, March 9, 1820, SOPHIA ENGLISH, born April 12, 1795, daughter of Abel and Anna (Caulkins) English (see English family, No. 24, and Caulkins family, No. 20); she died in Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 13, 1846, and he in Buffalo, N.Y., July 11, 1832. Mr. Hodge was born in Richfield, Otsego County, N.Y., and was about eleven years of age when his parents settled at "Cold Springs," now a part of Buffalo. When seventeen years old, in company with Daniel Brayman, of about the same age, — the two afterwards married sisters, — he

engaged in mercantile trade at Black Rock, a few miles down the Niagara river from Buffalo harbor. After the burning of Buffalo, Dec. 30, 1813, and the return of the British to Canada, the store of Brayman & Hodge, a wooden structure, was torn down by order of a United States military officer, and the material used in building barracks for the soldiers. The government was asked to pay for the same, but on account of some informality in the papers the matter was delayed and finally dropped, so nothing was ever paid for the loss sustained. The crossing of the Niagara river by the British, and the probable destruction of Buffalo, had been feared for some time, and when a British deserter gave information that a landing had been made on the American side, near Black Rock, the militia stationed at "Cold Springs" started for the front. Mr. Hodge, who lived with his parents near by, took his rifle and joined the force. As history tells us, the Americans were poorly organized and poorly armed; moreover, the officers were without experience. Certain it is that they were unable to successfully contend against British regulars, aided by their whooping Indian allies, and were forced to retreat.

The Indians were fleet runners, and followed our men very closely. Mr. Hodge was chased by two of them, and not being able to rid himself of a heavy overcoat, on account of trappings buckled on over it, could not run as fast as his pursuers. Finally, nearly out of breath, at a turn in the road he jumped over a brush fence and ran behind some bushes and a fallen tree. The Indians came near, and mounting a large log looked around for him. While here they shot at men passing in the distance and succeeded in wounding several. Mr. Hodge at one time had the Indians in range so he thought he could kill the

two at one shot, but when he was about to fire they changed position and he reserved his fire, knowing that if he killed only one, before he could reload his rifle the other Indian would certainly kill him. The second day following, Benjamin, a brother of Mr. Hodge, was taken a prisoner, carried to Canada, and held until the close of the war. After the war Mr. Hodge, in company with Alfred Churchill, a cousin, again embarked in trade, and had a store on the Niagara river, a little below Buffalo. In those days there was a great amount of smuggling carried on across the river, and every man living near the river, on the American side, was under surveillance. At one time a custom-house officer broke down a door leading to the cellar at Mr. Hodge's store, but did not find, as he expected, any contraband goods, and had to pay twenty-five dollars in settlement for damages. On another occasion, seeing an officer approaching, some men at the store hastily placed a rain-water barrel on a sled and quickly drove away. The officer hurriedly gave chase, and after running a long way caught the fleeing party only to find he had captured an empty cask instead of a barrel of brandy.

In 1818 Mr. Hodge went to Mackinaw, then in the Territory of Michigan. Here he again engaged in trade, dealing much with the Indians. Two years later he visited Buffalo, married, and, accompanied by his wife, returned to his home in the then "far West." He made the trip on a vessel called the "Beaver," commanded by Captain Wright. While at Mackinaw Mr. Hodge served both as sheriff and as coroner, under commissions from Gen. Lewis Cass, then governor of the Territory.

Many incidents have been related of athletic contests in which Mr. Hodge took part and succeeded in worsting his opponent. He stood six feet two and a half inches in

height, well proportioned. In 1828 he sold out his business, and in December of that year returned to Buffalo. His wife and children had preceded him in October, making the trip on a vessel called "The Lady of the Lake," Capt. Augustus Walker.

Mr. Hodge died of cholera, induced by too freely partaking of fruit in his brother's vineyard. His was the first case of cholera in Buffalo that year (1833). As the Board of Health of the city was anxious to discredit the belief that cholera, which was then spreading over the country, had reached Buffalo, it put forth a statement that the case was not cholera. Dr. Cyrenius Chapin, an old and eminent physician who attended Mr. Hodge, published a caustic counter-statement claiming that the death did result from that dreaded disease.

One who had known Mr. Hodge well said of him, after his death: "He was quick, active, and persevering, a fair, upright man, honorable in all his dealings, and deserving a better fate." He was buried in the old cemetery laid out by the "Holland Land Purchasing Company," where his remains rested until 1851. That year the remains of all those buried in this cemetery were taken up and the land devoted to other purposes. The city and county buildings are now located on a part of it. In the removal of the remains of Mr. Hodge, by a mistake of the cemetery superintendent they were placed with the "unknown" — 1,157 in all — and now rest in a common vault in Forest Lawn Cemetery. The city authorities of Buffalo have erected a tall shaft to the memory of the whole number.

Mrs. Hodge was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church for many years; a woman well informed, of quick perception, considerable spirit, and of good judgment.

She took much interest in the cause of temperance, and often expressed the wish that "every slave might be made free." For a number of years before her death she resided with her daughter, Mrs. D. L. Wood, in Cleveland, Ohio, where she died.

Three children:

603. MANDANA SOPHIA HODGE, b. Thursday, Jan. 4, 1821.

604. ALFRED AMENZO HODGE, b. Tuesday, Feb. 22, 1825.

605. ORLANDO JOHN HODGE, b. Tuesday, Nov. 25, 1828.

276. BENJAMIN⁵ HODGE (*Benjamin¹, Benjamin³, Samuel², John⁴*).

Born April 26, 1797; married (1), May 27, 1824, MARIA PATTEN, who died Oct. 15, 1826, daughter of Thomas and Eliza Patten; married (2), March 5, 1828, ELIZA (PATTEN) DAVIS, born Jan. 23, 1797, at Greenwich, Mass., and died Dec. 6, 1867, cousin of the first wife. Her first husband (Mr. Davis) died Jan. 21, 1826. Mr. Hodge died June 8, 1868. He was born in Richfield, Otsego County, N.Y., and moved to Buffalo, N.Y., with his parents in 1806. He was an eye-witness to the burning of Buffalo, Dec. 30, 1813, by the British, and the day when his brother William's house was burned he was taken prisoner. He was sent to Montreal and from there to Quebec, where he was confined on a prison ship. From there he was taken to Halifax, Nova Scotia. He was absent a year and four months, during which time he was not heard from by his family and was supposed to be dead. While a prisoner his feet were frozen and he suffered greatly. When he reached manhood he purchased land at "Cold Springs," now part of Buffalo, and engaged in the nursery business.

He became a colonel in the militia, a justice of the peace, and held other public positions. Dec. 9, 1819, in

command of a military force, he accompanied the sheriff of the county to Grand island, some miles down the Niagara river from Buffalo, by order from Governor Clinton, to drive from the island all who had presumed to settle there in an unlawful manner. Seventy-eight houses were burned and one hundred so-called "squatters" driven away.

His connection with the militia rendered it necessary for him to be present at the hanging of the three Thayer brothers, who were executed in Buffalo, June 17, 1825. This was an event long remembered and talked about by the people of western New York.

Mr. Hodge during a number of years was president of the Erie County Horticultural Society, and he wrote many articles on horticulture for the Buffalo papers and for horticultural journals.

At the time of his death and for many years previous he was an elder in the North Presbyterian Church of Buffalo.

His second wife we knew well. She was an estimable woman in all respects, greatly loved for her amiability, her benevolence, and Christian traits. Few persons live a better life and few persons die more regretted. The three first children all died of scarlet fever, and, as will be seen, within a few days of each other.

Six children:

606. BENJAMIN SELDEN HODGE, b. Dec. 11, 1828; d. March 9, 1836.

607. HENRY CHURCHILL HODGE, b. Sept. 27, 1830; d. March 18, 1836.

608. LOUISE MARIA HODGE, b. June 6, 1833; d. March 7, 1836.

609. LYMAN DAVIS HODGE, b. Nov. 1, 1835.



LYMAN D. HODGE (No. 609).

610. MARIA LOUISE HODGE, b. Feb. 20, 1838; m., Jan. 9, 1873, Charles Dake Crank, M.D., now of Mt. Auburn, Cincinnati, Ohio. The doctor is a successful practitioner of high standing; no children.
611. FANNY ELIZABETH HODGE, b. May 20, 1840.

277. VELORUS³ HODGE (*Benjamin¹, Benjamin², Samuel², John¹*).

Born March 26, 1800; married (1), in 1825, AMANDA M. LUCAS, who died March 27, 1827; married (2), Sept. 21, 1828, EMELINE A. ALLEN, born Sept. 20, 1807, and died at Hood River, Oregon, July 29, 1898. He died at the same place April 18, 1892. When thirteen years old he saw Buffalo burned by the British. In early life he gave evidence of being possessed of much mechanical skill, and soon became a carpenter. In a few years he was a contractor. A large number of public and private buildings in and about Buffalo were erected by him. Few men ever had a better reputation for honesty and fair dealing.

In the days of slavery, when slaves were escaping from their masters and fleeing to Canada by way of the then so-called "underground railroad," Mr. Hodge's house was one of the "way stations." His son, Mr. Dwight W. Hodge, of Buffalo, some years since related to us how on one occasion a large negro slave slept in his father's barn, and, after a meal in the morning, started for the ferry-boat running across the Niagara river, at Black Rock, a few miles below Buffalo. "I accompanied him," said Mr. Hodge, "to the boat, giving him directions how best to escape any slave-catcher who might be on the lookout. The man had an old gun which he had brought with him all the way from Kentucky. This he agreed to discharge on safely reaching the Canadian shore. Finally the report of the gun was heard, and I then hastened home to tell my

father, who on being assured that the man was safe in Canada exclaimed with some warmth, 'Thank God, another slave is free!'"

In 1875, being then seventy-five-years old, Mr. Hodge gave up business, sold his fine residence on Delaware avenue in Buffalo, and went to Hood River, Oregon, where he resided with his daughter and her husband the balance of his life.

In 1888 we visited Mr. Hodge at his home in Oregon. While there he gave us a little manuscript book in which he had written some reminiscences of his life. From that book we copy the following:

"One day in 1813 the writer with several other boys was picking blackberries in Buffalo, on the hill where High street is now laid out, and not over forty rods from Main street. Suddenly in a ravine where the berries were very thick we distinctly heard the firing of cannon. It was the day of Perry's victory on Lake Erie, and the scene of the fight was two hundred miles away. When I went home with my berries I told my father how we had heard the firing of many great cannon, and the sound was from up the lake. He said he thought that the British had landed on the lake shore, not far off, probably at Cattaraugus, or some place near there. But in a few *days*—the telegraph was not dreamed of then—we heard of Perry's battle, and my father at once said that the firing of cannon I had heard certainly must have been from that engagement. Afterwards we found out that the battle took place at the very hour we heard the firing. I was too young to notice whether or not the lake was still at the time, but I am quite sure there was little or no wind blowing on the hill where we were picking berries."

No one who ever knew Mr. Hodge would for a moment

doubt his word, and that he heard the noise of the guns in the great battle at Put-in Bay, two hundred miles from Buffalo, there is little doubt. In that day that noise should be carried so great a distance no doubt seemed amazing, but in the light of science since developed it will not be considered at all wonderful.

Two of Mr. Hodge's sons were drowned in Niagara river. One ventured too far in the stream, the other tried to rescue him, but instead of doing so, both lost their lives.

Mr. Hodge lived, as will be seen, ninety-two years, and his wife ninety-one years. Both were clear in their minds, bright and cheerful, almost to the hour of their deaths.

Nine children:

- 612. LUCIUS CHURCHILL HODGE, b. April 1, 1826; drowned July 18, 1840.
- 613. MILO AUGUSTUS HODGE, b. June 17, 1830; drowned July 18, 1840.
- 614. ALMEDA ZARIA HODGE, b. Aug. 23, 1831.
- 615. HANDY DELOS HODGE, b. Oct. 18, 1833; d. Aug. 17, 1850.
- 616. JULIA ELIZABETH HODGE, b. April 9, 1837; d. Dec. , unm.
- 617. EMMA ELIZA HODGE, b. March 29, 1839; d. May 29, 1845.
- 618. DWIGHT WEBSTER HODGE, b. July 5, 1841.
- 619. FREDERICK AUGUSTUS HODGE, b. Oct. 8, 1846.
- 620. BENJAMIN VELORUS HODGE, b. April 2, 1849; d. July 29, 1849.

281. EDMOND³ COVELL (*Lydia¹, Benjamin¹, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 29, 1790; married (1), Feb. 16, 1814, Lois Lattimer, born in 1796 and died Jan. 29, 1817, daughter of Aholiata and Lois Lattimer; married (2), Dec. 20, 1819, LUCILLA HOUSE, born Aug. 23, 1795, daughter of Joel and Lois House. Mr. Covell died June 26, 1843; resided

Hartford, Conn. Had by first wife one child, and by second wife ten.

Eleven children:

- 621. ELMIRA COVELL, b. April 23, 1815; bap. May 21, 1820; m. in Hartford, Conn.
- 622. CHARLOTTE NEWELL COVELL, b. March 3, 1821.
- 623. LAVINIA LUCINDA COVELL, b. Oct. , 1822; d. Oct. 30, 1825.
- 624. EDMOND WELLS COVELL, b. May 25, 1824; bap. Oct. 17, 1824.
- 625. LAVINIA ASENATH COVELL, b. June 20, 1826; bap. Nov. 5, 1826.
- 626. JULIA ELIZABETH COVELL, b. May 5, 1828; bap. Sept. 7, 1828.
- 627. ELIJAH HOUSE COVELL, b. Aug. 2, 1830; bap. May 22, 1831; m. Mary J. Bowe, who d. May 25, 1859, aged 29 years. He d. Oct. 2, 1853; had dau. Minnie, b. Oct., 1853.
- 628. CELIA LUTETIA COVELL, b. Nov. 25, 1832; d. Oct. , 1849.
- 629. ELECTA CELESTIA COVELL, b. Oct. 5, 1834; d. Jan. 23, 1865; m. Henry P. Griswold, of Windsor, Conn.; had Arthur H. and Charlotte Edith, who m. a Kirk.
- 630. ELISHA WASHINGTON COVELL, b. April 27, 1837; resident Columbus, Ohio; unm.
- 631. ELLEN SOPHIA COVELL, b. Dec. 20, 1839; d. Sept. 17, 1850.

285. WILLIAM FINLEY⁵ COVELL (*Lydia*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Feb. 13, 1798; married, March 1, 1820, JEMIMA HUNT, who died March 19, 1846. He died March or April 1, 1846; resided Glastonbury, Conn. He probably had four children besides those given here, all sons; one went to Boston, one to California, and one, it is supposed, lived in Glastonbury, and there had a family. The other children were as follows:

Three children; four names not ascertained.

632. MARY MATILDA COVELL, b. Dec. 2, 1820.

633. MARTHA MELVINA COVELL, b. May 15, 1823.

634. CORDELIA CALISTA COVELL, b. June 23, 1824; m., May 14, 1856, Charles Grimmons, who d. aged 45. She d. aged 32.

286. LYDIA⁵ COVELL (*Lydia*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Aug. 11, 1800; married, Dec. 8, 1824, HARVEY FINLEY, born July 2, 1795, and died Sept. 8, 1837. She died July 15, 1876; resided Glastonbury, Conn.

Three children:

640. MARY B. FINLEY, b. May 26, 1826; m., Oct. 8, 1845, Humphrey H. Strong.

641. HARVEY B. FINLEY, b. July 3, 1829; m., Nov. 28, 1854, Ester C. Hills.

642. AMANDA FINLEY, b. Feb. 18, 1833; m., Sept. 26, 1855, Henry S. Steel. She d. Jan. 26, 1858.

289. ELECTA⁵ WEBSTER (*Ann*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Feb. 2, 1788; married, May 4, 1819, ADAM D. BLAKE, born April 29, 1787, and died Dec. 4, 1839, son of Asahel and Ithamer Blake. She died April 10, 1876; resided Buffalo, N.Y. Mrs. Blake, some years after the death of her husband, moved with her daughter, Sarah Ann, and her husband, Mr. Jacob Hoag, to California, where she died.

Mrs. Blake was a kind-hearted, excellent woman, to whom the writer was indebted for many favors. Besides the children here named, all of whom were born in Buffalo, there was one born July 16, 1830, who died early, name not ascertained.

Three children:

646. SARAH ANN BLAKE, b. Feb. 26, 1821.
 647. WILLIAM ADAM BLAKE, b. Oct. 28, 1823; d. Oct. 16, 1839.
 648. PAMELIA ITHAMER BLAKE, b. Oct. 26, 1825; m., Feb. 13, 1856, George M. Asbury, b. 1830, in Virginia, and d. in California, June 13, 1875. The widow is now living in or near San Francisco, Cal.

298. DIROXILANA⁵ GOODALE (*Jerusha⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 26, 1785; married, Sept. 6, 1806, DAVID CURTIS, born Nov. 29, 1784, and died Oct. 23, 1836. She died May 10, 1855; resided in Connecticut.

Seven children:

649. DAVID Q. CURTIS, b. March 21, 1807; d. December, 1889.
 650. DIROXILANA A. CURTIS, b. Dec. 1, 1808; d. Nov. 20, 1825.
 651. LORIN A. CURTIS, b. June 13, 1811; m. (1) Susan B. Skates; m. (2) Jane Skates, sister of first wife.
 652. OSMAR P. CURTIS, b. Nov. 1, 1818; d. March 9, 1859.
 653. JERUSHA A. CURTIS, b. May 7, 1821.
 654. ALBERT N. CURTIS, b. Aug. 27, 1826.
 655. MARTIN VAN BUREN CURTIS, b. Feb. 9, 1832; d. Oct. 5, 1834.

300. DARIUS⁵ GOODALE (*Jerusha⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 25, 1789; married, Jan. 11, 1816, ABIGAIL VORRA.

Five children:

658. DARIUS DWIGHT GOODALE, b. Nov. 25, 1816; d. Jan. 23, 1897, unm.
 659. ABIGAIL M. GOODALE, m. Nathan De Wolf; had 3 children

660. DIANTHA C. GOODALE, m. Henry O. Weir; had 7 children, all, at last accounts, res. in or near Glastonbury, Conn.
 661. ELIZABETH M. GOODALE, m. William O. Barrows; res. Conn.
 662. SOPHRONIA A. GOODALE, b. Nov. 28, 1823; unm.; res., 1899, E. Glastonbury.

303. ERASTUS⁵ GOODALE (*Jerusha⁴, Benjamin⁴, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 22, 1794; married, Nov. 8, 1818, SPEEDY HURLBUT, born June 19, 1794, and died May 6, 1865. He died Feb. 8, 1882.

Seven children:

664. PHILURA GOODALE, b. June 19, 1820; d. Aug. 15, 1855.
 665. SALLY MARIA GOODALE, b. July 10, 1822; m. Cornelius Morrison. She d. Aug. 4, 1897. He res. Richmond, Ohio, 10 children, 8 living.
 666. INMAN ALLEN GOODALE, b. Jan. 21, 1825.
 667. AUGUSTUS HAMILTON GOODALE, b. June 28, 1827; m. Cloe Smith, now living. He d. June 19, 1884; 3 children.
 668. ERASTUS SHERMAN GOODALE, b. Dec. 21, 1829.
 669. JOHN FRANKLIN GOODALE, b. Oct. 9, 1832.
 670. HIRAM DYONISIUS GOODALE, b. March 17, 1835; m. Harriet Baldwin, b. June 2, 1839. He d. March 3, 1871; had Fred, b. April 10, 1868.

307. LUMAN ELISHA⁵ LOVELAND (*Lois⁴, Benjamin⁴, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 11, 1787; married (1), Feb. 18, 1813, PHILECTA HAWLEY, born June 12, 1790, and died Jan. 2, 1829; married (2), Nov. 1, 1829, PATTY FITCH, born May 15, 1799, and died March 24, 1864. He died Dec. 14, 1842. In 1813 Mr. Loveland moved from Otis, Mass., to Hunting, Vt., and there resided the remainder of his life. Here he was a justice of the peace twenty-two years. Two

children, who died in infancy, are not here mentioned. Seven of the children, whose names we give, were by his first wife and five by his second.

Twelve children:

673. CORYDON LUMAN LOVELAND, b. April 21, 1816; m. Susan M. Morrill.
674. CLARYDON ELISHA LOVELAND, b. March 12, 1818; d. May 12, 1882.
675. ALONZO HAWLEY LOVELAND, b. March 27, 1820; m. Amanda A. Southmayd.
676. PHILECTA LOVELAND, b. May 16, 1822.
677. SARAH LUCY LOVELAND, b. July 18, 1824; m. George P. Hatch.
678. MINERVA LOVELAND, b. Nov. 19, 1826; d. March 13, 1845.
679. ABNER JAMES LOVELAND, b. Nov. 12, 1828; m. wid. Sarah A. Perkins.
680. THEODORE LOVELAND, b. April 10, 1831.
681. CATHARINE LOVELAND, b. July 25, 1832; d. Nov. 26, 1840.
682. LORING LOVELAND, b. Nov. 24, 1833; drowned Oct. 18, 1859.
683. GEORGE BURROWS LOVELAND, b. June 15, 1835; m. Martha E. Saul. He d. September, 1891.
684. LOVINA SUSAN LOVELAND, b. Nov. 15, 1836; m. Irving Smith Ring.

308. LORIN⁵ LOVELAND (*Lois⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 21, 1790; married, Jan. 14, 1818, MARY WARREN, born June 28, 1800, and died 1874; daughter David and Elizabeth (Chapin) Warren, and niece of Gen. Joseph Warren, the patriot of the Revolutionary war, who was killed in the Battle of Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775.

Mr. Loveland died Sept. 25, 1865. He resided many years in the State of New York, but in 1833 moved to Brighton, Ohio, where both he and his wife died. By occupation he was a farmer.

Eight children:

- 687. MARY LOIS LOVELAND, b. March 17, 1819; m. Abraham Myers.
- 688. DAVID ABNER LOVELAND, b. March 24, 1822; m. Helen Culver.
- 689. LINUS CLARK LOVELAND, b. Aug. 21, 1823; m. Martha A. Hogal.
- 690. HARRIET E. LOVELAND, b. Aug. 15, 1826; m. Philander N. Powell.
- 691. BENJAMIN WARREN LOVELAND, b. April 22, 1829; m., July 1, 1852, Maria Bentley, who d. in 1867. He was killed in Texas; had one dau.
- 692. SUSAN PAMELIA LOVELAND, b. Dec. 16, 1831; m., June 14, 1874, William H. Ball, b. in 1831.
- 693. LEONARD WHITLOCK LOVELAND, b. Nov. 5, 1834; d. May 9, 1854; accidentally killed.
- 694. JAMES M. LOVELAND, b. Oct. 22, 1837; m. Elizabeth French.

309. LUTHER³ LOVELAND (*Lois⁴, Benjamin², Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 21, 1792; married, Feb. 23, 1811, SOPHIA PHILONA HILLS, born June 13, 1790, and died Jan. 28, 1877. He died March 20, 1849. Resided first in Southfield, Mass., then in Otis, same State, after which he moved to the State of New York, where he died, a prosperous farmer. It is probable he had other children besides those here mentioned.

Four children:

- 698. HENRIETTA MARIA LOVELAND, b. Dec. 13, 1811; d. Sept. 5, 1815.
- 699. ABNER NELSON LOVELAND, b. Oct. 13, 1813; m., Dec. 25, 18 , Rose A. Chapman, b. Oct. 14, 1816.
- 700. PHILANDER WARD LOVELAND, b. March 30, 1817; m. Lucy Sperry. He d. June 7, 1857; had a son and a dau.
- 701. SOPHRONIA MARIA LOVELAND, b. June 20, 1819; d. April 29, 1843.

310. LEONARD HODGE⁵ LOVELAND (*Lois⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 3, 1794; married (1), March 13, 1820, MARGARET VANDERBECK WHITLOCK, born Sept. 10, 1802, and died Oct. 3, 1860; married (2), Aug. 31, 1862, ANNE ALLEN, *née* RULISON, born Dec. 22, 1809. He died Aug. 18, 1887. The home of the family is Brighton, Lorain County, Ohio.

Three children:

- 703. ABNER WHITLOCK LOVELAND, b. Jan. 2, 1821; d. Oct. 13, 1821.
- 704. CORDELIA LOVELAND, b. Nov. 12, 1823; m. H. S. Seeley.
- 705. EMELINE MARGARET LOVELAND, b. March 4, 1833; m. I. L. Comstock.

311. ABNER⁵ LOVELAND (*Lois⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 5, 1796; married, March 28, 1826, PAMELIA DE WOLF, born July 16, 1794, and died June 5, 1862. He died March 2, 1879. Mr. Loveland lived with his parents, except four years he was with an uncle, until he was nineteen years old. In 1819, with a number of others, he emigrated to Ohio, and located at Wellington, Lorain County. Soon after he bought land near that place, which subsequently became the town of Brighton. Here he erected a log house, the first house ever built in the town by a white man. In July, 1821, his parents, three sisters, a brother, with his wife and young child, all came from the East — Glastonbury, Conn. — and moved into the new house. In March, 1826, he purchased land adjoining, and in a small log house which he had built he and his newly-married wife set up housekeeping by themselves. Here his wife taught the first school in the town.

In 1833 he sold his farm and moved into the township of Wellington, where he cleared another farm. In 1855 he became a resident of the village of Wellington, where he lived a retired life until his death.

Mr. Loveland was an extremely active abolitionist, and his home was a well-known station of the "underground railroad" which safely carried so many bondmen from the South to Canada.

Col. Frank C. Loveland, of New York City, a son, says of his father: "All trains passing that way stopped there, and the passengers received the needed rest, refreshments, and assistance to proceed towards freedom." Mr. Loveland was one of the men arrested in 1858, in the "Oberlin-Wellington Rescue Case," for violating the "Fugitive Slave Law." John Price, a fugitive slave, was captured by his master, but rescued by the liberty-loving people of Wellington and Oberlin, and sent in safety to Canada.

A number of persons, Mr. Loveland among them, who were engaged in the rescue, were arrested and confined some weeks in jail at Cleveland.

Four children:

- 707. CELESTIA A. LOVELAND, b. Jan. 12, 1829; unm.
- 708. CORNELIA J. LOVELAND, b. July 12, 1831; m., Jan. 27, 1856, Daniel P. Reames.
- 709. EDWIN A. LOVELAND, b. July 21, 1834; m., Feb. 12, 1856, Caroline Benedict.
- 710. FRANK C. LOVELAND, b. Aug. 26, 1839; m., Feb. 23, 1871, Isabella Sayles, b. Feb. 15, 1843; had two children: Helen Bertha, b. Sept. 16, 1874; d. Feb. 29, 1876.

We are indebted to J. B. Loveland, Esq., of Fremont, Ohio, author of the "Loveland Genealogy," and to Col. Frank C. Loveland (No. 710), of New York City, for much of the information here given of the Loveland family.

Frank De Wolf, b. Jan. 11, 1880. Colonel Loveland res. in New York City, and holds a high position in business circles.

312. SOPHIA⁵ LOVELAND (*Lois⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 24, 1799; married, March 21, 1824, ALBERT NILES, born March 31, 1803, and died March 24, 1855; she died March 27, 1868; children all born in Wellington and Brighton, Ohio.

Five children:

- 712. OSCAR FITZALAN NILES, b. Dec. 23, 1824; m. Elvina Loveland.
- 713. HENRY DE LANE NILES, b. June 19, 1827; m. Lucinda A. Baker.
- 714. LOVINA CHARLOTTE NILES, b. Jan. 8, 1831, m. Reuben O. Daniels.
- 715. GEORGE FRANKLIN NILES, b. Aug. 7, 1834.
- 716. DELIA JANE NILES, b. May 22, 1842; m. Elias C. Sweet.

SIXTH GENERATION.

372. ALMEDA⁶ MARSHALL (*Eliakim⁵, Sarah⁴, John³, John², John¹*).

Born Jan. 18, 1788; married, 1809, HENRY SILL, of Windsor, Conn., son of John Sill of that town, a descendant of John Sill, Syll, or Scill, who was made a freeman in Massachusetts, May 2, 1638, and had son Joseph, who moved to Lyme, Conn., from whom the Sills of Windsor sprang. Windsor records show births as follow:

Nine children:

- 720. HENRY G. SILL, b. Nov. 20, 1811; d. Dec. 1, 1835.
- 721. ELIZA ANN SILL, b. Oct. 23, 1814.

- 722. JOHN M. SILL, b. Jan. 22, 1816; d. Sept. 29, 1834.
- 723. JULIA SILL, b. Sept. 24, 1819; m. Samuel Mather; had four children.
- 724. WILLIAM R. SILL, b. Jan. 30, 1822.
- 725. EMILY SILL, b. June 30, 1824; m. C. S. Alford; had three children.
- 726. MARY ANN SILL, b. March 1, 1827; m. O. B. HOLCOMB; had five children.
- 727. GEORGE G. SILL, b. Oct. 26, 1829; m.; res. Hartford, Conn.
- 728. JANE SILL, b. July 1, 1833.

373. WARREN⁶ MARSHALL (*Eliakim⁵, Sarah⁴, John³, John², John¹*).

Born Oct. 6, 1787; married ELIZABETH WOLCOTT; resided in Windsor, Conn., certainly many years; probably died there.

Six children:

- 730. ELIZABETH MARSHALL; m. Joseph Baker; had two children, Joseph and Julius.
- 731. EDWARD MARSHALL; m. Julia Hayden; res. Ohio.
- 732. OLIVER M. MARSHALL; m. a Barnes; certainly one child.
- 733. JAMES MARSHALL; d. unm.
- 734. JOHN MARSHALL; m. and had children.
- 735. LUCY MARSHALL; m. E. N. Phelps, of Windsor, Conn., and had three children: Samuel, who m. a Filley; Annie M., who m. Hugh Harbison, of Hartford, Conn.; and Addie E.

381. ELIAS⁶ HODGE (*Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Oct. 8, 1800; married RUTH ANN DASCOM, who died Dec. 28, 1875; daughter of James and Ruth Dascom. He died March 13, 1867; residence, Bridgeport, Conn., where he belonged to a military company.

The arrangement here, as to precedence of children's births, may not be correct.

Ten children :

- 738. EMILY HODGE, b. prob. abt. 1822; m. Charles R. Williams.
- 739. FRANCIS HODGE, b. prob. abt. 1824.
- 740. MARIA HODGE.
- 741. ELIZABETH HODGE; m. a Wildman.
- 742. HARRIET HODGE.
- 743. CHARLOTTE HODGE; m. a Dr. King.
- 744. ELIAS HODGE; a seafaring man.
- 745. WALTER HODGE.
- 746. DAVID HODGE; d. of yellow fever on South coast.
- 747. ANDREW HODGE; a seafaring man.

384. SARAH⁶ HODGE (*Daniel⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born April 16, 1805; m. ANDREW HIBBARD, husband of her sister Eliza, who had died Aug. 4, 1833. Mrs. Hibbard, it is said, was resident in Buffalo in or about 1867, but we have been unable to get any direct trace of her or her family.

One child :

- 748. GEORGE F. HIBBARD, said to have, at one time, res. Buffalo, N.Y.

392. SARAH⁶ HODGE (*Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Dec. 13, 1790; married, Oct. 21, 1810, SAMUEL BURWELL, son of Samuel Burwell, of New Haven, Conn. Both husband and wife were alive in 1867, residing in New Haven.

Ten children :

- 753. GEORGE TEMPLE BURWELL, b. Oct. 19, 1811.
- 754. MARTHA BURWELL, b. March 11, 1813; d. Feb. 26, 1815.

- 755. SAMUEL FENN BURWELL, b. April 5, 1817; m. Sarah Landcraft, of Fair Haven, Conn.
- 756. BETSEY EMELINE BURWELL, b. March 24, 1819.
- 757. BENJAMIN HARVEY BURWELL, b. March 27, 1821.
- 758. CHARLES AUSTIN BURWELL, b. April 19, 1823; m. a Clark; had Samuel and Almira.
- 759. LAURA MARIA BURWELL, b. June 8, 1825.
- 760. FRANCES CORNELIA BURWELL, b. Aug. 9, 1827; m. (1) James Johnson; m. (2) Warren Allen; res. Fair Haven, Conn.
- 761. CATHERINE SOPHIA BURWELL, b. July 11, 1829; m. Albert Leeman; moved to Georgia.
- 762. SARAH JANE BURWELL, b. Nov. 16, 1831.

393. BENJAMIN⁶ HODGE (*Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Sept. 13, 1792; married, 1818, ANNA BARTHOLOMEW, born July 24, 1795, and died June 2, 1855; daughter of Capt. Jared and Mary (Wooster) Bartholomew, granddaughter of Claudius and Susan (Plumb) Bartholomew, and also granddaughter of Mary (Perry) Wooster. Mr. Hodge died July 26, 1868. He lived, when a youth, in Derby, Conn., then became a resident of Ansonia, a town near by, where he resided at the time of his death. In the war with Great Britain, in 1812-14, he was a soldier with Captain Gates in his march to the defence of New London, Conn. Finding the British gone, the company returned home. Mr. Hodge was a mariner on the salt water for many years; called "captain."

Four children:

- 764.** MARY ANN HODGE, b. Jan. 4, 1821.
- 765. JARED HODGE, b. Sept. 5, 1823; d. June 29, 1847, at sea.
- 766. GEORGE BARTHOLOMEW HODGE, b. 1825; d. September 1828.
- 767.** ELLEN LOUISE HODGE, b. Nov. 24, 1837.

403. WYLLYS⁶ TERRILL (*Eunice⁵, William⁴, Thomas³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Feb. 15, 1780; married "MOLLY," probably MARY BEEBE, sister of David Beebe, who married Belinda Hodge (No. 132). Mr. Terrill died April 15, 1830, and his wife died July 30, 1857, "aged 73 years 9 mos. and 22 days." Resided in Connecticut, where his first four children were born, until 1810, when he moved to Lorain County, Ohio, his parents changing their residence to Ohio at the same time.

Six children:

769. RANDAL TERRILL, b. 1802 and d. Jan. 17, 1870; m. Sally Cole, and had Serepta, who m. Burt Wilmot; Viola, who m. Arthur Wilmot; Helen, who m. John Fretter; also Cadice, Jerusha, Wyllys, and Leveretta.
770. ALBERT G. TERRILL, b. Aug. 9, 1804, and d. Sept. 7, 1888; m. Sally Hoadley, and had Myra, who m. George McNeal; Susan, who m. Anson Owens; Corintha, who m. a Stearns; and Emeretta, who m. a Gibson.
771. POLLY TERRILL, b. 1806 and d. Oct. 14, 1849; m. Edwin Byington; a granddaughter, Carrie Byington, res. in Elyria, Ohio.
772. WYLLYS TERRILL, b. Feb. 25, 1809, and d. March 5, 1882; m. Serepta Phelps; had Arletta, who m. Henry Havers; Aurilla, who m. Philip Sawyer; Malvina, who m. Edward Smith; and Jerusha, who m. Alden Bean.
773. LEVI TERRILL, b. March 30, 1811, and d. May 16, 1892; m. Jane Burrill, dau. of Higbee Burrill; had several children who d. young, and Amanda, who m. Tower Burrill; Sarah, who m. James Elder; and Anina, who m. an Ashburn, and lives in Cleveland, Ohio.
774. JOEL TERRILL, b. Oct. 8, 1815, and d. June 5, 1885; m. Esther Smith; had one child, Herbert L., a lawyer by profession; formerly res. of Cleveland, Ohio, but moved to New York City; attorney many years for Standard Oil Company.

423. OLIVER PERRY⁶ HODGE (*Benjamin³, Benjamin⁴, Henry³, Henry², John¹*).

Born May 23, 1817, in Hammond, N.Y.; settled in Cawker City, Kan.; married, Sept. 21, 1844, ELMIRA JULIA BATES, born Oct. 25, 1822. He died Dec. 4, 1895; a farmer; had three daughters, not here mentioned, all dead.

Five children:

- 777. ANDREW JACKSON HODGE, b. April 26, 1847.
- 778. JAMES OLIVER HODGE, b. , 1848; res. California.
- 779. MARY JANE HODGE, b. , 1850; m., abt. 1866, Cyrus Larkin, of Princeton, Kan.; has dau. Stella.
- 780. ELLEN HODGE, b. abt. 1854 and d. abt. 1886.
- 781. OLIVER PERRY HODGE, b. , 1858; m., abt. 1881, Minnie Bartlett, who soon d. of consumption; res. Chester, Oklahoma.

424. JOHN D.⁶ HODGE (*Benjamin³, Benjamin⁴, Henry³, Henry², John¹*).

Born Jan. 9, 1824; married (1) MARY F. COREY, born Oct. 14, 1835, and died Sept. 27, 1861; daughter of John and Adalaide Corey; married (2), Jan. 1, 1865, MARY E. FITCH, born Jan. 9, 1845, and died Sept. 25, 1894; daughter of Philip and Catharine (Keife) Fitch; residence, State of New York.

Twelve children:

- 783. ISAAC BENJAMIN HODGE, b. Oct. 18, 1853; m. Katie Fitch, sister of his stepmother.
- 784. HANNAH SMITH HODGE, b. March 29, 1855; m. William Newby.
- 785. DELIA HODGE, b. May 17, 1859; m. Samuel Todd; has one son and two daughters.
- 786. JOHN HODGE, b. May 9, 1866; d. Feb., 1867.

- 787. KATIE HODGE, b. July 30, 1867; m. James L. Todd.
- 788. SCHUYLER COLFAX HODGE, b. Sept. 5, 1869; res. New York City.
- 789. HARRIET HODGE, b. Nov. 13, 1872; m. Grover Erwin; has dau.
- 790. NELLIE HODGE, b. March 28, 1874; m. J. K. Bartholomew. She d. within a year after.
- 791. EDITH HODGE, b. Jan. 9, 1876; unm.
- 792. JOHN D. HODGE, b. July 3, 1878.
- 793. STELLA HODGE, b. May 13, 1879.
- 794. MARY HODGE, b. Aug. 7, 1883.

428. MARVIN G. *HODGE (*Levi*¹, *Thomas*¹, *Samuel*¹, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Feb. 20, 1822; married, Oct. 14, 1846, HARRIET L. KELLAM, of Irasburgh, Vt., born Dec. 10, 1826. Mr. Hodge was born in Hardwick, same State. In 1843 he was ordained a minister of the Gospel. Since then he has had pastoral charge of churches in Vermont, New York, Michigan, and Wisconsin. In 1896 he was residing at Janesville, Wis., where he had been pastor of the Baptist Church for more than twenty years. He received the degree of A.M. from the University of Vermont and also from the Rochester, N.Y., University. The degree of D.D. was conferred upon him by the University of Chicago. Mr. Hodge is a man of rare mental faculties, sternness of purpose, and loving kindness.

Five children:

- 796. ELIZABETH M. HODGE, b. Jan 3, 1848.
- 797. HATTIE OLIVE HODGE, b. Nov. 23, 1849.
- 798. EMMA F. HODGE, b. Oct. 2, 1853.
- 799. CARRIE L. HODGE, b. Aug. 30, 1856.
- 800. FREDERICK M. HODGE, b. Oct. 4, 1858.

438. FREEMAN ORSON ⁶HODGE (*Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 13, 1822; married (1), April 27, 1844, AMY DOW, born May 9, 1820, and died June 14, 1852; married (2), April 12, 1853, OLIVE SPAFFORD, born Sept. 10, 1816, and died after 1858; married (3), April 12, 1877, SABRINA (ABBOTT) PIERCE, born March 31, 1818. Mr. Hodge was a soldier in the Civil war, 1861-5. In the "Vermont Historical Magazine," Vol. 1, page 692, may be found three poems written by him: "Death of the Young Volunteer," "The White Dove," and "Forgiveness." In 1896 Mr. Hodge moved from Jackson, N.H., to Tamworth in the same State, where if alive he probably now resides.

Five children:

802. FREEMAN EDWARD HODGE, b. May 23, 1845.

803. WILLIS BARKER HODGE, b. April 17, 1849.

804. LUCY ANN HODGE, b. Feb. 7, 1851.

805. AMY JANE HODGE, b. March 15, 1854.

806. MARY OLIVE HODGE, b. Sept. 12, 1858.

439. LYMAN FERDINAND ⁶HODGE (*Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 4, 1824; married, July 7, 1847, MARY ANDREWS MANNING, born Aug. 25, 1825, at Johnson, Vt., and died Nov. 23, 1868. Mr. Hodge in his younger days was a mariner. Among his voyages was one on a whaling-trip to the Indian and South Atlantic oceans. He was in the United States army in the Civil war, 1861-5. By trade he is a blacksmith, and has worked at his trade more than forty years. He had the reputation when at work of being a fine mechanic, the best in the section of country where he lived. In 1897 he retired from business.

His mind is well stored with life's eventful memories. As will be seen, five of his children, all boys, died early.

Seven children :

- 808. ALDEN CLINTON HODGE, b. Aug. 22, 1848; d. Sept. 10, 1850.
- 809. JOSEPH MANNING HODGE, b. Sept. 27, 1851; d. June 16, 1879.
- 810. FREEMAN DUSTIN HODGE, b. Feb. 8, 1854; d. April 3, 1854.
- 811. ABBY MELVINA HODGE, b. Nov. 8, 1855; m., Dec. 25, 1877, Charles W. Sutton; res. Chelsea, Mass.; has Lyman Avery, b. Oct. 24, 1878.
- 812. CHARLES EDWARD HODGE, b. Aug. 2, 1857; d. Aug. 24, 1857.
- 813. MARVIN LYMAN HODGE, b. July 13, 1860; d. May 31, 1862.
- 814. CLARISSA ELIZABETH HODGE, b. Oct. 7, 1867; m., May 22, 1889, George H. Chadwick, of Nantucket, Mass., where the family lately resided; three children, Clifton S., Carl, and a daughter.

440. CORDELIA ANN⁶ HODGE (*Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 27, 1826; married, Jan. 1, 1848, HOSEA WATSON FLAGG, her uncle, Rev. Hiram Duston Hodge, officiating; residence, Fitchburg, N.H.

Six children :

- 816. MERTON WATSON FLAGG, b. March 28, 1849; d. Oct. 14, 1851.
- 817. SARAH JANE FLAGG, b. Sept. 20, 1852; m., May 19, 1871, Edward Everett Allen. She d. April 15, 1884; had Henrietta, b. May 5, 1872.
- 818. MARTHA ETTA FLAGG, b. July 4, 1854; m., Jan. 12, 1880, Jamie Drew Bowman; had Gladys Dow, b. Sept. 7, 1891.
- 819. LURA LARUSS FLAGG, b. Sept. 17, 1862; m., Aug. 14, 1882, Walter E. Temple. She d. July 24, 1884.

820. HERMAN HOSEA FLAGG, b. June 4, 1866; m., April 20, 1894, Flora McLeod.
821. ALFRED ELMER FLAGG, b. Oct. 10, 1868; m., June 1, 1892, Catherine Wilson; had Elmer Wilson, b. Jan. 15, 1894, and Myron Dustin, b. May 21, 1895.

441. LUCINDA JANE⁶ HODGE (*Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 6, 1828; married, Feb. 13, 1847, AVERY ATKINS DOW, born Feb. 8, 1825, and died Sept. 18, 1888. She died Aug. 7, 1896.

Mr. Dow was of Cabot, Vt., but became a resident of Medford, Mass., the present home of the family.

Four children:

823. QUINCY DOW, b. Nov. 14, 1847; d. Dec. 6, 1849.
824. CLARISSA PHEBE DOW, b. April 2, 1849; d. April 14, 1849.
825. REBECCA ALMIRA DOW, b. March 25, 1850.
826. NETTIE AMELIA DOW, b. Nov. 19, 1857; m., July 6, 1880, Charles Willard Payne, b. June 30, 1859, and d. Oct. 4, 1880.

444. NANCY JUDSON⁶ HODGE (*Edward⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 28, 1826; married, May 19, 1847, ELIJAH ALLEN SPOONER, b. April 11, 1811, and died Jan. 12, 1877, at Hiawatha, Kan.

Three children:

829. EDWARD HODGE SPOONER, b. March 11, 1848; d. Oct. 31, 1852.
830. ABBIE LOUISE SPOONER, b. March 18, 1854.
831. HATTIE A. SPOONER, b. Aug. 21, 1855; d. Jan. 25, 1856.

445. ADELPHIA KEZIAH⁶ HODGE (*Edward⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 11, 1831, at Ovid, N.Y.; married LUTHER LINDSEY TODD, born Jan. 28, 1832, son of Ransom and Sally Ann (Wade) Todd; and nephew of the late Jephtha H. Wade, millionaire of Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Todd lived for a time in Leavenworth, Kan., where his children were born, but afterwards moved to Atkinson in the same State.

Two children:

834. FRANK ADOLPHUS TODD, b. Sept. 26, 1859; res. Atkinson, Kan.
835. BELLE LUTHERINE TODD, b. Jan. 17, 1864.

450. LAURA⁶ HODGE (*Nathaniel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 26, 1832; married THOMAS F. NUTTING, born April 28, 1829; son of Benjamin and Miriam (Senter) Nutting; residence, Haverhill, N.H.

One child:

838. CHARLES SPAULDING NUTTING, b. Oct. 17, 1865.

457. EDWARD A.⁶ HODGE (*Hiram D.⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 12, 1836; married (1), April 20, 1860, ELIZABETH GILLIES, who died Sept. 22, 1871; married (2), Sept. 8, 1876, MARY C. GAVER; residence, Marion, Kan. Mr. Hodge was in the Union army in the late Civil war, 1861-5; a man of literary tastes and much general information, but too modest to give any particulars of his life.

Six children:

- 843. RALPH L. HODGE, b. Nov. 2, 1861.
- 844. GILLIES D. HODGE, b. Dec. 12, 1865.
- 845. HATTIE E. HODGE, b. May 1, 1868.
- 846. DWIGHT E. HODGE, b. Sept. 10, 1877.
- 847. L. CADY HODGE, b. Aug. 16, 1879.
- 848. M. MYRTLE HODGE, b. March 1, 1882.

459. STEPHEN DWIGHT⁶ HODGE (*Hiram D.⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 2, 1847; married, Oct. 10, 1877, LIDA A. MASON, born Sept. 7, 1849, daughter of Arnold G. and Maria B. Mason. Mr. Hodge is a successful dentist in Burlington, Vt.

Two children:

- 852. HELEN LIDA HODGE, b. Feb. 8, 1879.
- 853. HEATTIE MASON HODGE, b. Jan. 20, 1882.

461. ELIZABETH E.⁶ HODGE (*Hiram D.⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 5, 1852; married, Feb. 15, 1876, REV. WILLIAM A. KEESE, born Dec. 23, 1846, and died Sept. 1, 1895, son of Levi and Susan Lee Keese.

Four children:

- 857. MARION ASHTON KEESE, b. May 2, 1881.
- 858. ETHEL MARGARET KEESE, b. Oct. 25, 1882.
- 859. RUTH ESTER KEESE, b. Feb. 18, 1884.
- 860. WILLIAM MERRILL KEESE, b. Oct. 17, 1894.

463. MARTIN⁶ HODGE (*Ichabod⁵, Israel⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 9, 1809; married ORPHIA PLANT. In 1837 resided in Warsaw, N.Y., and there at that time, in company with his father, owned a grist-mill. He had the fol-

lowing-named children, but we have been unable to get the date of birth of any of them, and the entries here made may not be in the order in which they were born.

Nine children:

- 861. ELLEN M. HODGE.
- 862. EDWIN HODGE.
- 863. HARRIET HODGE.
- 864. ARABEL HODGE.
- 865. ORPHA HODGE.
- 866. MARION M. HODGE.
- 867. CAROLINE HODGE.
- 868. PERRY HODGE.
- 869. ALICE HODGE.

466. ISRAEL⁶ HODGE (*Ichabod⁵, Israel⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 16, 1817, in Richfield, N.Y.; married SALLY MORRIS, who died April 2, 1853. He died Aug. 2, 1852, in Warsaw, N.Y., his residence for some years.

Three children:

- 871. SOLOMON HODGE; m. Josephine Smith, of Chicago, Ill.
- 872. ALBERT J. HODGE; m. and res. in Iowa.
- 873. EDITH HODGE; m. Frank Mitchell, of Broadhead, Wis.

472. MARY⁶ HODGE (*Solomon⁵, Israel⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 18, 1831; married RODNEY NILES CHANDLER; resided somewhere in the State of New York.

Two children:

- 876. FRANK GRANGER CHANDLER, b. Oct. 1, 1848; m., September, 1872, Laura C. Hawn.
- 877. RUTH DAMARIS CHANDLER, b. Aug. 26, 1854; m., March 15, 18—, George Strong.

479. NELSON⁶ HODGE (*Loton S.⁵, Israel⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 5, 1842; married, Oct. 28, 1860, MARY E. WARNER, who was born in Portland, Conn. Mr. Hodge was in the army during the Civil war, 1861-5, and died Nov. 3, 1862, at Harper's Ferry, Va., while in the service.

One child:

880. WELLS HODGE, b. Oct. 5, 1861; d. Sept. 22, 1862.

486. WILLIAM⁶ HODGE (*Elijah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born in 1803; married, Feb. 19, 1826, FANNY PARKS, of Stonington, born in 1802 and died Dec. 21, 1880, Conn. He died April 27, 1855, of consumption. The Glastonbury records give age at time of death of some of the children, from which we have calculated the year of birth.

Five children:

881. FRANCIS HODGE, b. 1827; d. April 17, 1857.

882. LEVI HODGE, b. 1833; per. m. Catherine —, b. 1834; he d. June 27, 1860; had Charles, b. March 9, 1854; d. Oct. 19, 1860. See footnote, page 89.

883. LUCRETIA HODGE, b. Jan. 2, 1838; m., May 12, 1863, Isaac Stevens, of New York City, b. June 3, 1841, d. some years ago. A few years since the widow lived on the "Hill," at South Glastonbury, Conn.; no children.

884. LUCY ANN HODGE, b. March 4, 1842; d. early.

885. LUCY ANN HODGE, b. in 1848; d. 1873.

493. LUCY⁶ HODGE (*Elijah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born in 1816; married, May 1, 1833, ADONIRAM NOBLES, of Salisbury, Conn., born in 1801. She died

July 16, 1866, in Glastonbury, Conn., where she was born and had always lived.

Ten children:

- 887. WILLIAM W. NOBLES, b. June 15, 1837.
- 888. JENETTE NOBLES, b. Oct. 12, 1839.
- 889. CALVIN NOBLES, b. Aug. 25, 1843.
- 890. EMMA NOBLES, b. June 14, 1845.
- 891. JOHN NOBLES, b. June 30, 1847.
- 892. LEROY NOBLES, b. July 31, 1849.
- 893. HENRY NOBLES, b. Aug. 12, 1853.
- 894. JESSIE NOBLES.
- 895. LUCY NOBLES, b. March 7, 1858; d. April 18, 1866, from burns.
- 896. ELI NOBLES.

496. HATSEL⁶ HODGE (*Benajah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born March 19, 1799; married LUCY HARRIS. Mr. Hodge was born in Glastonbury, Conn., and probably lived there all his life, but the records of the town make little mention of him. He had, as believed, the following children, but the dates of their births have not been ascertained.

Five children:

- 899. ROMAN HODGE, b. prob. abt. 1827.
- 900. HENRY HODGE, m. and had dau. who m. a Pitkin.
- 901. MARIA HODGE.
- 902. FRANCIS HODGE.
- 903. GEORGE EDWARD HODGE, b. in 1835.

497. SELDON⁶ HODGE (*Benajah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 27, 1801; married, Sept. 19, 1824, LUCY PIPER, of Middletown, Conn.; resided Glastonbury, Conn., and there had certainly four children, and perhaps others.

Four children:

- 907. RHODA HODGE, in 1895 unm.
- 908. MARY HODGE, m. a Clark. In 1895 was a widow, in Europe; had a dau. and per. other children.
- 909. EVANDER HODGE, in 1895 unm.
- 910. CHARLES HODGE.

498. BENJAMIN⁶ HODGE (*Benajah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 6, 1805; married, May 3, 1835, SAMANTHA CHAPIN, born Aug. 30, 1812. He died May 7, 1878; resided Glastonbury, Conn.

Three children:

- 914. HARRIET AUGUSTA HODGE, b. Aug. 1, 1836; m. Ferdinand J. Davis, of West Hartford, Conn.; had Herbert A., b. July 5 and d. March 4; years not given.
- 915. NANCY MALVINA HODGE, b. April 4, 1842; d. March 5, 1843.
- 916. EDWARD BENJAMIN HODGE, b. Sept. 14, 1845.

499. ORRIN⁶ HODGE (*Benajah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 6, 1809; married, June 1, 1832, LAURIETTA REED, born April 12, 1808; in 1897 resided with daughter at 22 Broad street, Plainville, Conn. He died many years since.

Four children:

- 920. WATSON HODGE, b. Nov. 11, 1832.
- 921. CHARLES WOODBRIDGE HODGE, b. Nov. 23, 1834.
- 922. MARGARETTA JOSEPHINE HODGE, b. April 14, 1838.
- 923. WESLEY ALFRED HODGE, b. Jan. 7, 1846.

501. RHODA⁶ HODGE (*Benajah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 8, 1813; married, Oct. 7, 1838, HARLOW HIGGINS, born March 11, 1811, and died Nov. 9, 1894. She died November, 1891; resided Batavia, N.Y.

Five children:

- 925. PRUDENCE ELLEN HIGGINS, b. Aug. 15, 1840; m., May 13, 1866, Alonzo Rackley.
- 926. MARY ZERVIAH HIGGINS, b. June 9, 1842; m., May 25, 1865, Winfield Scott Seward.
- 927. HIRAM WILBUR HIGGINS, b. Sept. 12, 1844; m., October, 1873, Ellen Fenn.
- 928. MARTHA JONES HIGGINS, b. Nov. 3, 1846; m., Dec. 25, 1866, Oscar B. Kelsey, Batavia, N.Y.
- 929. HEMAN WILFRED HIGGINS, b. April 18, 1849; m. Oct. 26, 1881.

503. ALSOP⁶ HODGE (*Benajah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 22, 1818; married, Nov. 3, 1844, BETSEY PIERSON, born April 23, 1811, who was alive in 1895. He died Jan. 21, 1877; always resided in Glastonbury, Conn.

[This name "Alsop" comes from a man in Connecticut who in the early part of the nineteenth century became quite noted as a shipbuilder and person of great wealth. Many New England boys, born about that time, were burdened with the name.]

Three children:

- 931. EMELINE A. HODGE, b. Dec. 15, 1845; m., June 5, 1867, Ansel E. Bidwell, b. 1847. In 1895 she was a widow; had certainly 4 chil., Wilbur, Arthur, Allison, and Ansel.
- 932. OLIVE A. HODGE, b. July 29, 1848; m., June 1, 1871, Roderick F. Hollister, b. Oct. 26, 1846; res. Glaston-

bury, Conn.; had Alice L., b. Sept. 26, 1875, and William Tracy, b. Sept. 24, 1877.

933. HIRAM EMERSON HODGE, b. March 23, 1851.

505. DAVID⁶ HODGE (*Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 20, 1801; married (1) —; married (2), April 14, 1836, ACHSA TUBBS; moved from Glastonbury, Conn., to Wallingford, Vt., where he was killed by the falling of a tree. Had four children by first wife. No record found of any children by second wife.

Four children:

936. DAVID HODGE.

937. DELIA HODGE.

938. MARY HODGE.

939. AMY HODGE.

507. DUDLEY⁶ HODGE (*Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 16, 1804; married MARY WALKER, who died in 1872. He died May 1, 1842. Resided Stafford, Conn.

Seven children:

941. HENRY WOODBRIDGE HODGE, b. May 14, 1827; d. Aug. 7, 1846.

942. DUDLEY HODGE, b. Aug. 27, 1830; d. same day.

943. MARY ELIZABETH HODGE, b. May 10, 1832; m. Lodrick Hodge (No. 527).

944. MIRANDA HODGE, b. Aug. 1, 1834; m. Ezra Clark; three children: Ella, Lottie, and Horatio.

945. JULIA AGNES HODGE, b. July 2, 1836.

946. ELIZUR HODGE, b. Aug. 17, 1838.

947. ANNA CHRISTINE HODGE, b. Dec. 30, 1840; m., March 31, 1859, Isaac Slater, b. 1834 and d. April 15, 1887; res. Glastonbury, Conn.

510. ELIZA⁶ HODGE (*Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 30, 1811; married PETER ACKERT, of Glastonbury, Conn. Supposed to have left Glastonbury soon after marriage.

One child:

949. MARIA ACKERT, b. abt. 1828.

512. SAMANTHA⁶ HODGE (*Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born March 5, 1815; married, Feb. 16, 1836, CHESTER ANDREWS, born Sept. 22, 1805, Middletown, Conn., son of Chester Andrews and Ellis (Bell) Andrews. Ellis was the daughter of Isaac Bell, of Glastonbury, Conn. In 1839 Mr. Andrews moved from Glastonbury to Danube, Herkimer County, N.Y. In a letter received he is spoken of as "a farmer in good condition."

Six children:

954. ELIZABETH ELLIS ANDREWS, b. May 5, 1838; d. Oct. 29, 1845.
 955. WILLIAM F. ANDREWS, b. March 13, 1840.
 956. EMMA C. ANDREWS, b. June 12, 1842; m., March 25, 1868, Delancey Stafford.
 957. SARAH E. ANDREWS, b. Dec. 20, 1846.
 958. MARY A. ANDREWS, b. March 5, 1850.
 959. HUDSON ANDREWS, b. Aug. 16, 1853; d. Feb. 1, 1854.

513. ELISHA⁶ HODGE (*Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 31, 1817 (supposed to have had two wives, but do not know which was the first); married, April 5, 1842, MARY L. ROOT, born Aug. 17, 1813, and died Aug. 1, 1854; daughter of Elisha and Deborah (Sumner)

Root, of Hebron, Conn., who lived at Marlborough at time of birth of this daughter. The other wife of Mr. Hodge perhaps was DELIA A. BIDWELL. He died Nov. 28, 1856, leaving, so far as ascertained, no male heirs. Resided Gilead, Tolland County, Conn.

514. ELIJAH⁶ HODGE (*Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 31, 1817; married, May 26, 1841, SARAH J. BLISH, born Dec. 9, 1821, daughter of Hubbard and Joanna (Hale) Blish, of Eastbury parish, Glastonbury, Conn. Mr. Hodge died Jan. 14, 1864; resided Hebron, Conn. In 1895 the widow was living in Glastonbury. Sept. 9, 1871, Mary, wife of Lodrick Hodge (No. 527), was made guardian of the minor children.

Eight children:

- 965. TIMOTHY H. HODGE, b. July 12, 1842; m., June 14, 1866, Maria E. Weir, b. Feb. 3, 1842; he served in the Civil war, 1861-5; no children; res. Glastonbury, Conn.
- 966. MARTHA A. HODGE, b. July 9, 1844.
- 967. ELLEN E. HODGE, b. May 4, 1849; m. George Perkins, Weathersfield, Conn.
- 968. CHARLES HAWLEY HODGE, b. Aug. 27, 1851.
- 969. ADALINE E. HODGE, b. Sept. 1, 1853; m. Perry Church, res. Middletown, Conn.
- 970. SARAH ISABEL HODGE, b. Aug. 24, 1855; m., Sept. 5, 1893, Arthur Dickinson; res. Rockville, Conn.
- 971. EMMA A. HODGE, b. July 29, 1858; m. Frank Morton. She d. March 24, 1895; res. Weathersfield, Conn.
- 972. JENNIE E. HODGE, b. May 3, 1864; d. July 23, 1880.

516. CYPHIA⁶ HODGE (*Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 24, 1821; married HUDSON GOODWIN HOLISTER, born Aug. 28, 1816, son of Eli and Ruth (Treat)

Hollister. She died Nov. 11, 1855, and Nov. 12, 1856, Mr. Hollister married Ann (Hills) Curtis. Residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

Two children:

974. ROWLAND HUDSON HOLLISTER, b. April 13, 1844.

975. CHARLOTTE A. HOLLISTER, b. February, 1848; m., Nov. 12, 1874, J. W. Cone, of New Haven, Conn.; had Lavina L., b. May 30, 1877.

518. ANSON⁶ HODGE (*Burrill⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 18, 1815; married LOUISA CLARK, born Oct. 15, 1815. He died March 9, 1875. In 1895 the widow was living with her son, Melvin E., in Glastonbury, Conn.

Eleven children:

977. CLESTIA HODGE, b. June 2, 1838; d. Sept. 12, 1838.

978. JOSEPH HODGE, b. June 22, 1839; d. May 6, 1850.

979. RANSOM HODGE, b. Dec. 8, 1841; d. Nov. 25, 1848.

980. LYMAN HODGE, b. Aug. 4, 1843.

981. LEORA HODGE, b. June 8, 1845.

982. CHARLES HODGE, b. Jan. 11, 1847.

983. EDGAR HODGE, b. Aug. 4, 1848.

984. MARY HODGE, b. April 1, 1850.

985. FRANCES HODGE, b. March 10, 1852.

986. MELVIN E. HODGE, b. Feb. 22, 1854; town rec. says b. Jan. 23.

987. IRVING W. HODGE, b. Oct. 1, 1856; town rec. says b. Oct. 5.

520. CHAUNCEY⁶ HODGE (*Burrill⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born in 1829; married, March 31, 1850, EUNICE ELTRUDA TREAT, born June 25, 1830, of Pennsylvania; died April 23, 1891. Mr. Hodge, a few years since, was residing in Glastonbury, Conn., where he had lived all his life.

Two children :

989. EVELINE A. HODGE, b. Aug. 17, 1851.

990. WILBUR JAMES HODGE, b. Dec. 12, 1854.

525. ELIZABETH ⁶ HODGE (*Noel*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Sept. 26, 1820; married DANIEL MOSES, born 1810 and died Dec. 16, 1890; residence, Simsbury, Conn.

Four children :

993. LUCY PAULINA MOSES.

994. JOHN RANDOLPH MOSES, b. July 12, 1853.

995. NOEL HODGE MOSES, b. Jan. 10, 1855. †

996. ROSWELL MOSES, b. June 4, 1857; d. September, 1860.

526. CHAUNCEY ⁶ HODGE (*Noel*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born June 13, 1822; married, Aug. 1, 1852, MELISSA AUGUSTA CHAPMAN, born Aug. 6, 1830, and died Nov. 5, 1868. He died July 21, 1895; residence, Glastonbury Conn.

Six children :

998. BETSEY JANE HODGE, b. March 4, 1854; unm.

999. FRANK L. HODGE, b. June 18, 1856; d. March 14, 1857.

1000. FREDERICK L. HODGE, b. Feb. 28, 1858; died Sept. 6, 1858.

1001. FLORA E. HODGE, b. Aug. 25, 1862; d. May 8, 1882.

1002. HERBERT D. HODGE, b. Oct. 26, 1864; res. New Britain, Conn.

1003. ROLAND ANSON HODGE, b. May 26, 1868.

527. LODRICK ⁶ HODGE (*Noel*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Nov. 13, 1828; married (1), Dec. 2, 1849, FRANCES ANNE GOODRICH, born in 1826, died Jan. 8, 1856;

married (2), Sept. 16, 1857, MARY ELIZABETH HODGE, born May 10, 1832, in Stafford, Conn.; daughter of Dudley Hodge (No. 507). Lodrick Hodge died July 24, 1883-4. Sept. 9, 1871, Mrs. Hodge, by action of the court, became guardian of the minor children of Elijah Hodge (No. 514), deceased. Mrs. Hodge has been highly spoken of as a woman of intelligence and much force of character. In 1895 she was living in Addison, Conn.

Of the ten children nine are supposed to have been born in Glastonbury, Conn., where Mr. Hodge resided for many years, and one, the youngest, was born in East Haddam, to which place Mr. Hodge finally moved. Mr. Hodge was a Republican or "Union" man during the Civil war, and his brother Roswell so strongly sympathized with the South that a son born to him during the war he named Jefferson Davis, after the President of the Southern Confederacy. Not long after Lodrick had a son born and he called him Ulysses Grant. Perhaps it is worth mentioning that not only "Jeff." grew up to be a Democrat, but Ulysses also.

Ten children:

- 1005. CHARLES G. HODGE, b. Jan. 15, 1852.
- 1006. ROSWELL HODGE, adopted by an aunt (No. 531), and given the name Francis Newton Post.
- 1007. WILLIAM HODGE, b. Nov. 13, 1858; d. Nov. 14, 1858.
- 1008. LUMAN A. HODGE, b. March 6, 1860.
- 1009. WILLIAM H. HODGE, b. Oct. , 1861; d. April 18, 1862.
- 1010. ULYSSES GRANT HODGE, b. April 26, 1864.
- 1011. CARRIE LINCOLN HODGE, b. April 25, 1865; m., Oct. 18, 1893, John G. Flad, Jr., b. in 1859.
- 1012. GILBERT TAYLOR HODGE, b. Sept. 14, 1867.
- 1013. LENA AGNES HODGE, b. Nov. 12, 1869; d. April 22, 1870.
- 1014. BERTHA BELL HODGE, b. Jan. 8, 1875; d. Nov. 12, 1883.

528. ROSWELL⁶ HODGE (*Noel⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 18, 1825; married, April 19, 1855, FANNIE CORNELIA WEIR, born April 10, 1836. He died May 27, 1892; resided Glastonbury, Conn.

Five children:

- 1016. EMILY HODGE, b. June 6, 1856.
- 1017. JEFFERSON DAVIS HODGE, b. Nov. 6, 1862; d. Jan. 10, 1895.
- 1018. JAMES HODGE, b. Feb. 17, 1867.
- 1019. WYLLYS HODGE, b. Oct. 3, 1872.
- 1020. LUCY HODGE, b. Dec. 27, 1876; d. Feb. 2, 1877.

529. SARAH⁶ HODGE (*Noel⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 22, 1826; married CHARLES ROREBROOK. She died April 30, 1861; resided, at time of her death, Glastonbury, Conn.

Five children:

- 1022. JULIA ROREBROOK, d. young.
- 1023. ELLEN ROREBROOK, d. young.
- 1024. WILLIAM ROREBROOK, m. Phœbe Hall, of E. Hartford, Conn.
- 1025. SARAH FRANCES ROREBROOK, m. Charles Davis.
- 1026. FREDERICK ROREBROOK, m. Eveline Trask.

530. JOHN BROWN⁶ HODGE (*Noel⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 21, 1828; married, July 3, 1860, LAVINIA HAMMOND, born in 1841. He died Jan. 26, 1889; resided Glastonbury, Conn. There were several children, but have the name of only one.

Two children:

1028. A son, b. April 12, 1861.

1029. ROSETTA HODGE, m. Rufus Bailey.

531. LUCY PHYLENIA⁶ HODGE (*Noel⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 22, 1829; married LEONARD POST. She died April 30, 1892. Roswell Hodge, son of her brother Lodrick, she adopted and gave the name Francis Newton Post (see No. 1006), by which name he has since been known; residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

One child:

1035. ALFRED POST, m. Alice Hale, of Portland, Conn.

533. THOMAS JEFFERSON⁶ HODGE (*Noel⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 17, 1833; married, Dec. 12, 1856, CATHERINE EVANS, born in 1835 and died May 7, 1892; she was of New York. He died Dec. 15, 1865; resided Glastonbury, Conn.

Three children:

1038. ALBERT L. HODGE, b. May 22, 1858; m., Sept. 26, 1887, Cora J. Moses, b. 1865, in Simsbury, Conn.; had dau. b. Dec. 11, 1889, and son Uriah, b. April 28, 1892.

1039. FREDERICK HODGE, b. April 30, 1862; d. Feb. 14, 1893.

1040. CORA HODGE, b. Aug. 21, 1864.

535. ANDREW JACKSON⁶ HODGE (*Noel⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 26, 1836; married (1) MARY E. ARCHER; married (2) DESIRE HOLMES. Left Glastonbury, Conn., after birth of two children and settled somewhere in the West.

Two children:

1041. ALBRO HODGE.

1042. BERGIN HODGE.

537. ELEANOR L.⁶ HODGE (*Noel⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 25, 1840; married EDWIN FOOTE. She died Feb. 28, 1870. Resided, at last accounts, Falmouth, O., near Cincinnati.

Two children:

1046. EDNA FOOTE.

1047. ELMA FOOTE.

539. AMANDA ALICE⁶ HODGE (*Noel⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 30, 1844; married, Jan. 3, 1865, THEODORE EVANS, born April 11, 1836, in Cornwall, N.Y. Resided South Glastonbury, Conn.

Eleven children:

1050. ADA A. EVANS, b. Oct. 30, 1865; m., March 15, 1891, Everett F. Gates, of New Hartford, Conn.

1051. EMORY E. EVANS, b. Aug. 27, 1867; m., Aug. 18, 1887, Nellie Evelyn; had Alice L., b. June 29, 1891, and Joseph T., b. Sept. 12, 1892.

1052. BERTHA G. EVANS, b. Oct. 28, 1869; d. Jan. 28, 1888.

1053. THERON W. EVANS, b. March 17, 1871; m., Nov. 7, 1892, Ida B. Strickland; had Harold S., b. Feb. 27, 1894.

1054. DELBERT D. EVANS, b. Nov. 27, 1872.

1055. RUBY H. EVANS, b. Sept. 8, 1874.

1056. EDNA C. EVANS, b. July 1, 1876.

1057. ARCHIE J. EVANS, b. Jan. 15, 1878.

1058. THOMAS H. EVANS, b. Feb. 16, 1880.

1059. WILLIAM R. EVANS, b. Nov. 17, 1881; d. Dec. 11, 1887.

1060. WESLEY K. EVANS, b. Feb. 25, 1884.

564. HENRY^c HODGE (*Asa^s, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 19, 1802, and died at Granville, Mass., on or about Feb. 1, 1863, leaving, as probate record says, "no widow;" "next of kin persons" all children. Administration granted on estate April 7, 1863.

Six children:

- 1061. GEORGE H. HODGE, b. June 20, 1824.
- 1062. BUELL HODGE, b. , 1827.
- 1063. HARRIET HODGE, b. , 1831; m. a Barker.
- 1064. FRANCIS HODGE, b. , 1835; d. before his father (1863).
- 1065. EMILY HODGE, b. , 1839.
- 1066. JULIA HODGE, b. , 1840.

565. SILAS⁶ HODGE (*Asa⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 23, 1804; married (1) ESTER ALDERMAN, who died, probably, in 1832; married (2), in 1833, ORPHIA A. ALDERMAN, born Nov. 1, 1805, and died Sept. 1, 1887, at Granville, Mass. The Aldermans lived in Chester, and the two wives perhaps were sisters. Resided Granville, Mass.

Five children:

- 1068. JANE E. HODGE, b. March 20, 1830; m. C. C. Porter; had Charles and Jennie; Charles m. Alice Pomeroy.
- 1069. ESTER C. HODGE, b. May 19, 1832; m. Alfred Dean; had Nellie, Clara Bell, and a third, who died some years since.
- 1070. CHARLES B. HODGE, b. March 17, 1834; m. Sarah George; had Nellie; dau. and mother both dead.
- 1071. FRANKLIN J. HODGE, b. June 10, 1837; d. Feb. 5, 1849, in Granville, Mass.
- 1072. HENRY S. HODGE**, b. Oct. 6, 1843.

568. ALFRED⁶ HODGE (*Asa⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 5, 1812; married FELORA GLASIER. In a letter the names of the children were given "Libbie," "Hattie," and "Eddie."

Three children:

- 1074. ELIZABETH HODGE, m. Fred Belknap, now dead.
- 1075. HARRIET HODGE, m. Richard Phelps; both dead.
- 1076. EDWARD HODGE, m. Lilian Bacon; no children.

570. LYMAN F.⁶ HODGE (*Asa⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 9, 1817; married, Nov. 1, 1839, SARAH M. DAY, born April 6, 1817, in Connecticut, and died in Granville, Mass., where Mr. Hodge lived. He died Jan. 27, 1897.

Seven children:

- 1079. CLARISSA MINERVA HODGE, b. July 20, 1840; dead.
- 1080. ALFRED LUCAS HODGE, b. Aug. 13, 1842; m. and had son Henry, now dead.
- 1081. CHAUNCEY JAMES HODGE, b. Oct. 14, 1844; d. in Civil war service.
- 1082. SARAH MINERVA HODGE, b. Feb. 22, 1847; dead.
- 1083. ASA WILLARD HODGE, b. June 27, 1849; dead.
- 1084. LAURA ABIGAIL HODGE, b. Oct. 31, 1851; dead.
- 1085. NINETTA ROSALTA HODGE, b. Aug. 18, 1855.

573. CYRUS⁶ HODGE (*Ira⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 25, 1809; married, March 3-5, 1832, RUEY CHAPIN BARTLETT, born July 23, 1811, in Granby, Mass., and died in 1872. He died June 8, 1876. The marriage

probably took place in Springfield, Mass. Moved to Little Rock, Ill.

Nine children:

- 1087. MARY ELIZABETH HODGE, b. Dec. 5, 1832.
- 1088. OLIVER A. HODGE, d. young, as did two other children b. after Mary; not named.
- 1089. IRA BERTRAM HODGE, b. Nov. 8, 1839.
- 1090. HENRY DEXTER HODGE, b. April 11, 1842.
- 1091. FRANCIS LEROY HODGE, b. June 22, 1844.
- 1092. MORTIMER HODGE, b. Feb. 27, 1850; d. March 12, 1850, at Little Rock.
- 1093. ISABEL HODGE, b. April 2, 1853; d. Feb. 17, 1854, at Little Rock, Ill.

575. HORATIO FRANKLIN^c HODGE (*Ira^s, Eli^s, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 14, 1821; married (1), Aug. 15, 1841, LOUISA RELIEF KENT, born Dec. 17, 1817, and died Feb. 5, 1873; married (2), Jan. 15, 1875, CALISTA LITTLE, born Sept. 24, 1846, and died Jan. 15, 1887. In 1895 Mr. Hodge was living at Los Angeles, Cal. In a letter of January, that year, he says: "I know our name is Hodge and not Hodges, as some of our family write it. How the *s* came to be added I do not understand. Hereafter I shall drop the *s*, as I have a pride in the ancestral name of Hodge."

The line of descent of this family from John Hodge the progenitor is direct and certain, as here given. Two children by each wife.

Four children:

- 1095. ALICE ADELAIDE HODGE, b. Aug. 19, 1842.
- 1096. ANNA RELIEF HODGE, b. Aug. 9, 1846.
- 1097. ETHEL LIELA HODGE, b. Dec. 6, 1878.
- 1098. GRACE CALISTA HODGE, b. July 22, 1884.

579. WILLIAM⁶ HODGE (*William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 20, 1804; married, Nov. 24, 1848, ARRIETTA A. HODGE, born Oct. 18, 1815, and died Dec. 14, 1883; daughter of Lorin Hodge. (See No. 591.) William Hodge died April 24, 1887. In 1805 he accompanied his parents when they moved from Otsego County, N.Y., to Erie County, in the same State. Here, at Buffalo, he became a permanent resident. He was nine years old when Buffalo was burned by the British, and his father's house destroyed. He took considerable interest in public affairs, but never aspired to any political office. At one time he was President of the Buffalo Historical Society. He wrote for the newspapers in Buffalo many articles in regard to the early settlement of that city. In 1885 he published a very interesting volume entitled a "Memoir of the late William Hodge, Sr.," which contains many facts about the older inhabitants of Buffalo. In speaking of the battle at Black Rock, when the British burned Buffalo, he says: "Two of my uncles, Lorin and Alfred Hodge, were in that battle." Mr. Hodge was a member of the Buffalo Westminster Church for many years.

On land he owned in Buffalo he laid out Hodge avenue, upon which he erected many fine buildings. The property he inherited from his father, with that which he accumulated by his own exertions, made him a man of considerable means, and he died wealthy.

Four children:

- 1100. MARY DAVIS HODGE, b. Jan. 8, 1850; d. 1851.
- 1101. WILLIAM CHURCHILL HODGE, b. July 4, 1851.
- 1102. WILLARD WAY HODGE, b. April 15, 1853.
- 1103. CHARLES JONES HODGE, b. Feb. 18, 1856.

581. PHILANDER⁶ HODGE (*William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 14, 1809; married, Sept. 15, 1835, EUGENIE MARIA BARKER, born Aug. 10, 1818, and died April 26, 1883; daughter of Judge Pierre Barker, of Buffalo, N.Y., and granddaughter of Gen. Samuel A. Barker, who served in the Revolutionary war under General Lafayette, and who was a special friend of that distinguished man. It is told that General Barker was a good French scholar, which tended greatly to bring about an intimate acquaintance between the two men. Mr. Hodge died Oct. 26, 1866. He had fine business talents; was quick, active, and persevering, but not cautious. At one time he was engaged in banking, afterwards owner of a glass factory, and then interested in vessel property. Just before his death he purchased a fine residence in Brooklyn, N.Y., and had made arrangements in that city to engage largely in the coal trade.

His wife was a woman of fine personal appearance, highly intellectually endowed, and possessed of rare conversational powers, but had very little idea of the value of money. Indeed, as said by one of her friends, "Money with her went faster than it came." Soon after her marriage her husband sold several pieces of land in Buffalo. She, in the deeds given, quitclaimed her dower interest. A few years before her death some Buffalo lawyers found that though at the time of her signing the deeds she was the lawful wife of Mr. Hodge, she was not at the time eighteen years of age and could not legally sign away her rights; that the signing should have been done by a guardian for her, regularly appointed by the court. In the forty and more years which had intervened between the sales and the time when the lawyers made the discov-

ery of defective title, the land sold had greatly increased in value, which now enabled both client and attorney to reap a big harvest by enforcement of the letter of the law. The money Mrs. Hodge thus received was soon spent and she died poor. Be it said to her credit that she was a lovable wife and good mother.

Five children:

- 1101. AUGUSTUS PHILANDER HODGE, b. Nov. 26, 1836; d. March 13, 1866. Just before his death he had been admitted to practise law and gave promise of a bright future.
- 1105. EUGENIE MARIA HODGE, b. Aug. 1, 1838.
- 1106. ANNIE CORINNE HODGE, b. Jan. 15, 1841.
- 1107. KATE BARKER HODGE, b. Feb. 23, 1844.
- 1108. NELLIE ELIZABETH HODGE, b. July 29, 1847.

588. MARY BEAUFORT HODGE⁶ (*William³, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 4, 1816; married, Oct. 23, 1839, JAMES PURDY, born July 23, 1793, and died July 11, 1886; son of Patrick B. and Jennette (Wallace) Purdy, who were married in 1788 at Hopewell, York County, Penn. Patrick B., the father, came to this country with his parents in 1760, from Antrim, Ireland. James Purdy resided many years in Mansfield, where he died. In business he was quite successful.

Nine children:

- 1109. MARY HODGE PURDY, b. Aug. 15, 1840.
- 1110. SARAH JANE PURDY, b. June 16, 1842.
- 1111. JENNETTE WALLACE PURDY, b. Sept. 4, 1843.
- 1112. JAMES PURDY, b. Jan. 8, 1846; m., June 1, 1871, Emma Kennedy, at Ashland, O. He d. Sept. 22, 1871; had James.
- 1113. WILLIAM HODGE PURDY, b. Dec. 4, 1848; d. Aug. 24, 1849.

- 1114. HELEN STURGES PURDY, b. Sept. 28, 1850; m., June 10, 1874, Henry Mathias Weaver, b. July 13, 1843; had Henry P., b. April 23, 1876.
- 1115. ADELAIDE WAY PURDY, b. March 13, 1852.
- 1116. KATE HAMILTON PURDY, b. Aug. 29, 1853; m., Sept. 16, 1875, Frank D. Bain, M.D. She d. Nov. 13, 1875.
- 1117. HAMILTON PATRICK PURDY, b. July 23, 1855; d. Nov. 27, 1875.

589. HELEN LOUISE⁶ HODGE (*William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

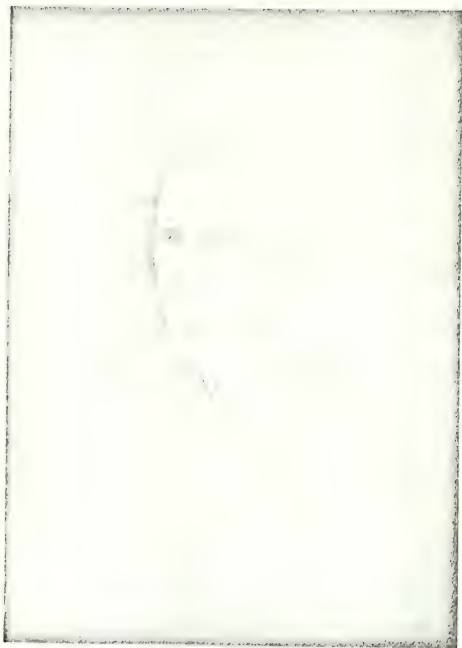
Born March 4, 1830; married, June 5, 1851, DIMON STURGES, born Oct. 21, 1825; son of Ebenezer Perry and Amanda (Buckingham) Sturges, of Putnam, O. Mr. Sturges was in the drug business a number of years, at Mansfield, O., where he died, March 18, 1900, much honored and respected.

Eight children:

- 1118. WILLIAM PERRY STURGES, b. June 1, 1853.
- 1119. HELEN HODGE STURGES, b. Aug. 21, 1855.
- 1120. EBEN BUCKINGHAM STURGES, b. Sept. 10, 1857.
- 1121. KATE DIMON STURGES, b. Aug. 9, 1859; m., June 12, 1895, Louis Halsey Wales, b. March 24, 1862; son of Joseph and Euphemia (Halsey) Wales.
- 1122. JULIA DIMON STURGES, b. Dec. 9, 1860.
- 1123. SALLY HODGE STURGES, b. Aug. 21, 1862; d. Aug. 23, 1868.
- 1124. PURDY HODGE STURGES, b. Aug. 4, 1864.
- 1125. AMANDA BUCKINGHAM STURGES, b. June 22, 1866.

590. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁶ HODGE (*William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 26, 1833; married, Sept. 5, 1860, JENNY JUDD, born June 1, 1842; daughter of Samuel E. and Mary Lyman (Strong) Judd, granddaughter of Ozias Judd, a



KARL HODGE (No. 1127)

soldier in the war with Great Britain 1812-14, and a great-granddaughter of Orange Judd, who was in the military service in the Revolutionary war. Orange Judd was a direct descendant, through Timothy, Jonathan, and Benjamin, of Thomas Judd who emigrated to New England in 1633 and was one of the founders of Hartford, Conn. On his "home lot" in Hartford once stood the historic "Charter Oak" tree. Mrs. Hodge is also a descendant of Capt. William Lewis, of Cambridge, Mass., 1632, another of the original proprietors of Hartford, who for many years was a representative to the General Court, and who died at Farmington, 1683, at great age.

Mr. Hodge received his preparatory education for college at Hudson, Ohio, graduated at Yale College, New Haven, Conn., in 1856, and afterwards studied surgery and medicine. He became successful in his practice. He is a naturalist and takes much interest in the study of articulates, his collection being one of the most complete in the country. He has been a resident of Hudson, Ohio, where he married, most of the time since. In early life he dropped "Benjamin" from his name and shortened "Franklin" to "Frank."

The doctor is quite a hunter and is said to be an excellent shot.

Three children:

1126. FAITH HODGE, b. June 25, 1862; d. Dec. 15, 1864.

1127. KARL HODGE, b. May 15, 1865.

1128. PERCY HODGE, b. Sept. 30, 1870; graduated at Adelbert College, Cleveland, Ohio, and afterwards took a two years' course at Case School of Applied Science, at Cleveland; a chemist by profession and now a teacher in the High School at Akron, Ohio. Dec. 28, 1898, he m. Helen Amy Smith, b. Oct. 9, 1870; dau. of Carlos Augustus and Isabella (Johnson) Smith, of Cleveland, Ohio.

592. CORDELIA AUGUSTA⁶ HODGE (*Lorin⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 25, 1818; married, June 15, 1843, FREDERICK N. JONES, born May 24, 1819, and died March 23, 1883; son of Augustus and Saba (Murdock) Jones, of Black River, Ohio (1820). Mr. Jones for a number of years was a captain on the lakes and then became a ship-builder at Buffalo. He had a fine residence in Buffalo, on Delaware avenue, where he resided many years. He was successful in business and had a high reputation as a vessel-builder. He was a deacon in the church for many years and subsequently became an elder. Mrs. Jones was loved and revered by a large circle of acquaintances. When the writer last saw her, in 1896, she was nearly four-score years of age; her hair as white as snow; apparently in good health; she conversed with vigor and marked intelligence, presenting the type of a dame that writers sometimes seem to think lived only in "ye olden times."

Mrs. Jones died Feb. 24, 1898, at Redwood City, Cal.

Seven children:

- 1129. FREDERICK AUGUSTUS JONES, b. May 14, 1844; d. Dec. 14, 1844.
- 1130. CHARLES MONROE JONES, b. April 20, 1846; d. June 22, 1856.
- 1131. CARRIE ELIZABETH JONES, b. Feb. 22, 1848.
- 1132. BENJAMIN HODGE JONES, b. Jan. 2, 1850.
- 1133. FREDERICK NELSON JONES, b. Jan. 12, 1852; res. Sherar Bridge, Cal.; unm.
- 1134. WILLIAM FRANCIS JONES, b. Aug. 5, 1857.
- 1135. JAMES LEONARD CORNING JONES, b. May 27, 1859.

594. VARNUM JOSEPH CARD⁶ HODGE (*Lorin⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 30, 1822, Mackinaw, Mich.; married, Feb.

11, 1847, ADELIA A. LOOMIS, born Feb. 1, 1827, daughter of Uriah and Harriet (May) Loomis, of Canaan, N.H. He died Aug. 25, 1896. Mr. Hodge commenced business life as a tinner and had a store in Buffalo, N.Y. When he married he settled at Geneva, Ohio, and there engaged in the hardware trade. In 1894 he retired on a farm at Chapel, near Jefferson, Ohio, where he died. Mrs. Hodge now resides most of her time with her daughter Saba, who lives about six miles from Jefferson.

Nine children:

- 1136. FREDERICK JONES HODGE, b. Nov. 15, 1847; d. April 16, 1851.
- 1137. EMMA LOUISA HODGE, b. May 29, 1849.
- 1138. LORIN VARNUM HODGE, b. Nov. 7, 1852; d. July 16, 1853.
- 1139. WILLIAM ALONZO HODGE, b. May 31, 1854.
- 1140. SABA VIRGINIA HODGE, b. Nov. 3, 1855.
- 1141. LORIN HODGE, b. Jan. 10, 1858; d. Nov. 20, 1874.
- 1142. WALTER GRANGER HODGE, b. July 29, 1863; res. Detroit, Mich.
- 1143. ALFRED HODGE, b. March 4, 1868; d. March 5, 1868.
- 1144. HESTER ANN HODGE, b. Oct. 3, 1870; d. Feb. 24, 1872.

596. VIENNA CLARISSA⁶ AYLSWORTH (*Clarissa⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 21, 1818; married, Sept. 13, 1837, AUGUSTUS A. KEELER, born Jan. 8, 1816, and died Feb. 6, 1866. Mr. Keeler for many years was a vessel captain on the lakes; some ten or more years before his death he retired to his home in St. Joseph, Mich., where he engaged in raising fruit. He was a jolly, big-hearted man, ready at all times to tell some story, generally of an improbable character. Mrs. Keeler married (2), May 24, 1876, Asahel Haskin, born Dec. 5, 1812, and died March 15, 1884.

After the death of Mr. Haskin she resided with her son Charles, at St. Joseph, until her death, Jan. 27, 1897.

Two children:

1145. GEORGE W. KEELER, b. Nov. 19, 1838; m., Feb. 4, 1862, Maggie E. Leonard. He d. Sept. 1, 1863, at Port Huron, while in the army in the Civil war.
1146. CHARLES AUGUSTUS KEELER, b. Nov. 6, 1840.

597. PHILANDER⁶ AYLSWORTH (*Clarissa⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 11, 1820; married (1), May 2, 1846, EMMA J. BOWEN, born Dec. 30, 1817, and died Jan. 30, 1847; married (2), Sept. 4, 1853, MARY TERRILL, born Jan. 19, 1832, and died Oct. 7, 1886; resided, 1895, with daughter Cora Belle, Alva, Oklahoma.

Five children:

1147. MARDONNA AYLSWORTH, b. Sept. 8, 1855; d. Sept. 23, 1855.
1148. ELLADORE AYLSWORTH, b. May 7, 1857; m. a Ward; res. Ruedi, Col.
1149. CORA BELLE AYLSWORTH, b. Dec. 17, 1858.
1150. EDITH LOETIE AYLSWORTH, b. Sept. 24, 1860; m. a Spencer; res. Denver, Col.
1151. HENRY ELMER AYLSWORTH, b. Aug. 10, 1862; d. Sept. 20, 1887.

598. SARAH E.⁶ AYLSWORTH (*Clarissa⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 13, 1821; married, Aug. 8, 1840, GEORGE W. BLAKE, born Aug. 21, 1809, and died July 16, 1878, son of Asahel Blake. Resided Kingsley, Iowa.

Eleven children:

11514. ELLEN MELISSA BLAKE, b. May 9, 1841; d. July 26, 1841.

- 1152. EDWARD ALONZO BLAKE, b. April 12, 1842; d. July 22, 1887.
- 1153. HENRY ASAHIEL BLAKE, b. Dec. 11, 1843; m., Oct. 20, 1870, Asenath A. Andrus, and d. Sept. 14, 1873.
- 1154. FRANCIS WILLIAM BLAKE, b. June 11, 1845; d. Oct. 30, 1870.
- 1155. ALBERT AUGUSTUS BLAKE, b. Nov. 12, 1847; m., April 13, 1872, Maggie Jones; res. Garfield, Wash.
- 1156. CHARLES FREDERICK BLAKE, b. Jan. 21, 1850; m., March 2, 1871, Katie J. Jones; res. Jefferson, Iowa.
- 1157. CORNELIA ISABELLA BLAKE, b. Jan. 12, 1852; m., Feb. 3, 1875, William R. Jones; she d. March 13, 1880.
- 1158. EUGENE ORLANDO BLAKE, b. March 16, 1855; d. Aug. 30, 1856.
- 1159. HERBERT LORENZO BLAKE, b. June 12, 1857; m., Oct. 30, 1878, Augusta Rood; res. Ellsborough, Minn.
- 1160. CLARA LUETTA BLAKE, b. Oct. 5, 1860; m., April 21, 1883, Francis W. Lusk; d. Oct. 31, 1891.
- 1161. ELLA MAY BLAKE, b. Sept. 21, 1863; m., June 19, 1884, John L. Ellis; res. Kingsley, Iowa.

601. CHARLES HODGE⁶ AYLSWORTH (*Clarissa⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 16, 1826; married, in 1851, RUTH MILLER, born in 1832 and died May 3, 1888. He died January, 1893.

Two children:

1162. WILLIAM G. AYLSWORTH, b. May 20, 1852.

1163. CLARA VIENNA AYLSWORTH, b. , 1854; d. 1865.

603. MANDANA SOPHIA⁶ HODGE (*Alfred⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Jan. 4, 1821; married, May 16, 1840, DAVID LUSK WOOD, born Aug. 14, 1817, and died May 2, 1881, son of Eli and Laura (Lusk) Wood, grandson of Obadiah and Roxa (Burnham) Wood, great-grandson of Robert

and Abigail (Barber) Wood, of East Windsor, Conn., and probably a descendant of Obadiah Wood, of Ipswich, Mass., 1649, who had son Obadiah, born June 5, 1675, in Windsor. Mr. David Lusk Wood was born in Barkhamsted, Conn., and about the year 1833 went from there to Buffalo, N.Y., where he learned the printers' trade. He afterwards worked at his trade winters, and for two or three summers sailed on the lakes. Two years he was mate of a vessel, first on the "Agnes Barton" and then on the "Martha Fremc." In September, 1839, he went to Cleveland, and during the following winter worked at his trade. In May, 1840, he married in Buffalo, returned with his wife to Cleveland, and became a permanent resident of that city. Mr. Wood early took much interest in military affairs. While in Buffalo he belonged to the Buffalo City Guards, and was attached to Fay's Battery, a part of the company's organization. During the so-called "patriot war," in 1837, the Guards were called into service by the general government. Many years after, Mr. Wood received from the government a "land warrant" for his services upon this occasion.

The year of his arrival in Cleveland he joined the Cleveland Grays, a military company organized a short time before. Soon after he organized as an auxiliary of the company a "gun squad," which, in 1845, when the Grays disbanded, became the Cleveland Light Artillery Company. He was commander of the gun squad and Artillery Company, in all, sixteen years. When the Civil war broke out, in 1861, the members of this company were called to do military service in many high and important positions. At this time Mr. Wood was quartermaster-general of the State. He served in that position under Gov. Samuel P. Chase, and also under Gov. William Dennison.

After arming and equipping nearly one hundred regiments, he resigned his position and took a captain's commission in the regular army (18th Infantry).

He soon went to the front, and under Gen. W. S. Rosecrans fought in the battle of Stone River or Murfreesboro', one of the most hotly contested actions of the war (Jan. 2, 1863). The regiment to which Captain Wood belonged numbered six hundred men in line of battle that day, three-fourths of whom were either killed or wounded in the engagement. The captain was among the latter, and by reason of his wound for a long time was unfit for duty. Before the war Mr. Wood served two years as city marshal of Cleveland, and after the war was a justice of the peace three years.

While holding the latter office, one day he surprised some lawyers by giving a decision in a case before him in conflict with a ruling of the Supreme Court of the State, which had been cited by one of the attorneys in the case. Said Mr. Wood, "That ruling of the high court is certainly wrong; it is not in accord with common sense." The case was appealed, and finally reached the court of last resort, when, to the surprise of the attorneys interested in the case, the justice's decision was held to be correct, and the former ruling of the Supreme Court judges an error.

When General Wood severed his connection with the office of quartermaster-general there was a balance due him from the State for services which could not at the time be paid, as no appropriation had been made by the Legislature for that purpose.

Thirteen years after, the General Assembly by an act ordered the state auditor to audit his account, and pay to him any balance that might be due. There was found to be due him \$1,887, which was paid him.

General Wood had little pride of dress, was sadly defective in suavity, but was honest, public-spirited, and patriotic. At his funeral the surviving members of the old "Artillery Association" attended in a body, acting as honorary pall-bearers.

Mrs. Wood, now nearly eighty years of age, resides in Cleveland. She is a woman of keen observation, excellent memory, and of general intelligence. When her husband decided to go to the war, and had the choice of a high position in the volunteer force or a captaincy in the regular army, she would express no preference as to which position he should take, fearing, as she said, that should he be killed she might reproach herself for advising the course which, perhaps, had led to his death.

One child:

1164. LAURA SOPHIA WOOD, b. Dec. 22, 1841; m., Jan. 16, 1867, Nelson Henry Lawton, b. April 12, 1842, son of Acres Wells and Elizabeth (Clark) Lawton, of Connecticut, and grandson of Joseph and Anna (Rathbone) Lawton. Mr. Lawton's mother was a dau. of Elijah and Catherine (Francis) Clark, a descendant of Capt. Ebenezer Francis, of Hartford, Conn. Mr. Lawton was in the naval service in the Civil war, since which, the greater part of the time, he has been a resident of New York City, where he now lives.

604. ALFRED AMENZO⁶ HODGE (*Alfred⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 22, 1825; married, Feb. 25, 1866, MARY E. SHATTUCK, born April 22, 1836, and died Nov. 25, 1890. He died Nov. 21, 1896. The life of Mr. Hodge was one of many adventures. At an early age he learned the printer's trade. One night, when an apprentice in the city of Buffalo, N.Y., sleeping in the third story of a building

where he was employed, the cry awoke him only in time to effect his escape with a few clothes he caught in his hands as he hurried from his room, then filled with smoke. Soon after this he went to work on a newspaper called "The Buffalonian," the editor of which, a few months later, was confined in jail three months for libel and the paper suppressed. One summer day young Hodge took it into his head to swim the Niagara river from near Black Rock to the Canada shore. He succeeded in doing so after a hard fight with the swift current in the river, which, before he could land, carried him full two miles below. In June, 1842, he enlisted as an apprentice in the navy and not long after sailed from New York harbor on the United States warship "Columbus," eighty-four guns, for the Mediterranean sea. The ship visited Genoa, Naples, Constantinople, Athens, Jaffa, and returning cruised down the coast of Africa, across the Atlantic to South America, and at the end of two years returned to New York, where the men were discharged.

Mr. Hodge's next adventure was on a merchant vessel, which, in its course, made a landing at St. Helena, where the great Napoleon was a prisoner and died May 5, 1821. The ship rounded the Cape of Good Hope, stopped at Calcutta, loaded with pepper at Sumatra, and then sailed back to New York. When off the Cape of Good Hope the vessel encountered a terrific storm which carried away topmasts and sails. After a short stay in New York Mr. Hodge shipped on a merchantman for Yucatan, where on arriving the "black vomit" was raging to such an extent that when a ship's crew was taken with the disease one-half and perhaps more of the men would die in a few days. The captain of the vessel was urged to leave the port, but showed no disposition to do so. Mr. Hodge and some

others of the crew laid plans to escape to another ship about to leave, but suddenly the captain of the vessel they were on pulled up anchor and sailed away. It was afterwards found that the ship upon which Mr. Hodge and others had hoped to escape was a "slave trader" then going direct to Africa for a load of negroes.

In October, 1846, Mr. Hodge again entered the navy service and on the warship "Ohio" started on a cruise. The following year the "Ohio" took a leading part in the bombardment and capture of Vera Cruz and other Mexican seacoast cities. After the capture of Vera Cruz the "Ohio" sailed for New York. On her way, May 23, 1847, she passed within a few miles of the Orange Key, some rocks among the Bahama islands, east of Key West and some fifty miles south of the island of Abaco, where lay grounded, with masts cut away, the brig "Mobile," on board of which were about one hundred soldiers on their way to Mexico.

Among them was the writer (No. 605), a brother of Mr. Hodge on the "Ohio." The wreck at the rocks was not sighted by the "Ohio," but the big warship was seen and readily recognized from the deck of the "Mobile." The "Ohio," on reaching New York, received orders to proceed to California. Jan. 1, 1848, she rounded Cape Horn and a few days later passed the island of Juan Fernandez, where Alexander Selkirk — "Robinson Crusoe" — was put ashore and spent a number of years. Arriving at San Francisco, one hundred and fifty of the men on the "Ohio" deserted and went to the gold fields, over which there was then great excitement.

Mr. Hodge was attached to Commodore Jones' special crew of fifteen, and remained true to the service until his full term had expired, when he hastened to the gold-mining region.

The next sixteen years he spent mining and prospecting.

During this time he travelled through many parts of California, Oregon, Washington, British Columbia, Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada, and Lower California, often fighting Indians and sometimes wolves and other animals who frequently visited the miners' camps. In the fall of 1864 he returned to the Atlantic States and located at Robertsville, Conn., where he married.

Soon after he moved to New Haven, where he was in the employ of a steam railroad company many years. After the death of his wife he sold his property in New Haven and went to Cleveland, Ohio, where he resided with his sister, Mrs. D. L. Wood, until his death. Mr. Hodge was a great reader, a man of generous impulses, and a vigorous hater of all shams.

A small pocket Bible given him by his mother when he was a boy lay in the room where he died, in a good state of preservation. He had carried it with him in all his travels. He had no children.

605. ORLANDO JOHN⁶ HODGE (*Alfred⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 25, 1828; married (1), Oct. 15, 1855, LYDIA ROCKWELL DOAN, born July 4, 1835, and died Sept. 13, 1879, daughter of David Clark and Catherine L. (Roberts) Doan. Mrs. Hodge died from the effects of a runaway accident occasioned by the fright of a horse she was driving, at the whistle of a locomotive engine. She was a woman of superior character—the soul of truth and honor and faithful to every duty.¹ Mr. Hodge married (2),

¹ Among many complimentary notices of Mrs. Hodge that appeared in the newspapers at the time of her death, the following is from the Winsted (Conn.) "Herald":

April 25, 1882, Virginia Sophia (Shedd) Clark, born Jan. 23, 1854, widow of George Edwin Clark, who died Sept. 10, 1879, and daughter of Edmund Earl and Aurelia Edna (Thompson) Shedd. (See Shedd Family, 8th Gen.) Mr. Hodge was thrown upon his own resources at an early age, his father having died before he was four years old. Nov. 13, 1833, while living with an uncle in the town of Hamburg, near Buffalo, he saw the great "shooting star" spectacle which, at the time, some thought to be a forerunner of the destruction of the world.

"The announcement of the sudden and most distressing death of this estimable woman, Mrs. O. J. Hodge, will bring a deep sorrow to her old friends and former neighbors in Riverton, Robertsville, and Winsted, where she was no less known than beloved. Her childhood was passed in the family of her grandfather, the late Hon. Clark H. Roberts, of Robertsville, and seven years or more of her married life in that place and in Winsted, and it seems proper that we should record in brief those excellences of character which made her an exception even among good women.

"She was perfectly sincere and truthful, and her friendships with those whom she could believe to be equally sincere were deep and lasting. She was peculiarly frank and outspoken in her opinions, and her opinions were the result of a cool and sound judgment, which tolerated nothing equivocal or one-sided. From her ancestors, among the Roberts and Rockwells, she inherited a practical turn of mind and a large capacity for business. She was strong-minded in the best sense of the phrase. She possessed a tender and generous heart, and her sympathy and benevolence for those less happily situated in life than herself were untainted by any trace of selfishness or love of ease."

Mrs. Hodge's ancestral line from her father runs as follows: Seth Doan, father of David Clark Doan, born May 11, 1785; Timothy Doan, born Nov. 8, 1757; Seth Doane, born June 9, 1753; Joseph Doane, born Nov. 15, 1693; Joseph Doane, born June 27, 1600; Daniel Doane, born about 1637; John Doane, born 1591, in England. Her line from her mother is as follows: Clark Hall Roberts, born April 14, 1787; Paul Roberts, born May 19, 1741; John Roberts, born 1709; Peter Roberts, born 1680. Through her grandmother, Lydia (Rockwell) Roberts, the line extends as follows: Elihu Rockwell, born Feb. 7, 1705; Joseph, born March 15, 1716; Joseph, born Nov. 23, 1695; Joseph, born May 22, 1670; Samuel, born March 28, 1631, the father of whom, William Rockwell, came from England.

He well remembers how the whole heavens seemed filled with stars or meteors, a million or more darting in different directions at the same moment; the sky clear except for the meteors, with no interval in the grand display until the light of the morning sun put an end to the extraordinary view. In May, 1837, Mr. Hodge was taken by a relative to the town of Munson, Geauga County, Ohio, but returned to his uncle's in Hamburg the following year. In 1842 he took passage at Buffalo on the steamer "Great Western," for Cleveland, Ohio, and landed in that city Sunday, June 12. He soon went to work in a printing-office and learned the printer's trade. In 1846, when the government called for volunteers for the Mexican war, he tendered his services at a recruiting-station in Cleveland, but was rejected on account of his age. The following spring he went to Buffalo, walking the entire distance from Erie, Penn., to that city, and April 25, 1847, enlisted to serve until peace should be declared between the two countries. On the 8th of May the company to which he belonged — Company C, 10th Regiment of Infantry — embarked at New York, on the brig "Mobile," for the scene of conflict. In the afternoon of the same, the transport collided with another vessel, and received such damages as compelled her to return to port for repairs. May 15 the brig, with her cargo of troops, again put to sea, but early in the morning, on the 23d of the month, she grounded near some rocks known as the Orange Key, situated sixty miles south of the island of Abaco, and about half as far from the south coast of Florida.

The ship's masts were cut away, and a portion of her cargo thrown overboard. While the vessel thus lay, the rolling of each wave causing her to pound against sand and rocks, in great danger of going to pieces, the U.S.

man-of-war "Ohio" passed to the east, a few miles distant, going north, evidently not sighting the signal flag of distress. On the "Ohio" was a brother of Mr. Hodge, who was on the wreck. The two had not met for several years. The following day the bark "Alabama" came to the rescue of the "Mobile," and taking her soldier passengers on board, carried them to Havana. From there they were shipped across the Gulf of Mexico to Brazos, Texas, and the day after landing they reached the mouth of the Rio Grande. Mr. Hodge remained in the service in Mexico thirteen months, serving under Gen. Zachary Taylor, afterwards President Taylor, and Gen. John E. Wool. His full term of service in the army was sixteen months. Injuries received while in Mexico forever after incapacitated him for military duty.

Returning to Ohio, he entered school at Geauga Seminary, where he was a classmate of James A. Garfield, who afterwards became President, and of Miss Lucretia Rudolph, who became Mr. Garfield's wife. Leaving the seminary in 1851, Mr. Hodge taught school for a time and then again became a resident of Cleveland.

In 1853 he was elected clerk of one of the courts, which position he held three years, after which he moved to Chicago, where he carried on a job-printing establishment a number of years.

In 1860 he disposed of his interests in Chicago and moved to Robertsville, Conn., where he engaged in the mercantile trade. In 1862 he was elected to the lower house of the Connecticut Legislature and thereafter twice to the State Senate.

Though the youngest member of the Senate, by the unanimous vote of its members he was made president *pro tem.* of the body. While in the Senate he voted for

the amendment to the Constitution abolishing slavery. During the war Gov. Wm. A. Buckingham appointed him on two special commissions to visit the troops at the front. In 1867, after serving six years as postmaster at Robertsville, four years as deputy United States collector, and three terms in the General Assembly, he sold his interests in Connecticut and returned to Cleveland.

Four years later he was elected to the Cleveland City Council and continued in that body from 1871 to 1877. He was made president of the council in 1876. In 1873 he was elected a member of the Ohio House of Representatives, and in 1875 nominated by acclamation, at the Republican county convention, for a second term. In 1874 he was admitted to the practice of law by the Supreme Court of the State. From 1878 to 1888 he was editor and most of the time sole proprietor of the "Cleveland Voice," with which he united the "Cleveland Sun." In 1881 he was again elected to the State Legislature and after a spirited contest, Jan. 1, 1882, became speaker of the house.

In 1885 he made a trip down the Mississippi river, crossed the Gulf of Mexico, from Galveston, Texas, to Vera Cruz, and from there went by rail to the city of Mexico. He travelled extensively through the country, visiting battlefields where American valor had overcome the Mexicans in the war in which he had taken a part forty years previously. He and his wife were received by President Diaz at the Government Palace founded by Cortez.

Arriving home in April, a few days later he was again elected to the City Council and again made its president.

In 1886, accompanied by his wife, he visited Europe, remaining abroad six months. He saw London, Paris, Rome, Naples, Venice, Vienna, Berlin, Strasburg, Brussels,

Antwerp, Amsterdam, Glasgow, Edinboro', Belfast, Dublin, and other cities of note. He ascended Mt. Vesuvius, crossed the Alps, passed down the Danube, up the Rhine, and visited the battlefields of Waterloo and Solferino. He saw the tomb of the great Napoleon, the sarcophagi containing the remains of Josephine, Marie Louise, and the Duc de Reichstadt, wives and son of the Emperor Napoleon.

In 1888 Mr. Hodge visited Alaska and there viewed the great Muir glacier and other points of interest. In 1889 Gov. Joseph B. Foraker commissioned him a member of his military staff, with the rank of colonel. The same year he was again elected to the Legislature. Among the bills introduced by him and which he succeeded in getting passed was one giving to Cleveland an entirely new municipal code, after the plan of the federal government. It is now the law governing the city. In 1891 Mr. and Mrs. Hodge made a trip to the Hawaiian or Sandwich Islands. They were received by the queen at the palace. They visited the great burning lake of Kilauea, where they beheld the mighty work of volcanic action more wonderfully displayed than anywhere else on the earth.

In 1892 Mr. Hodge again visited the old world, landing at Gibraltar. From there he crossed the Mediterranean sea to Tangiers, Africa; returning, landed at Malaga, Spain. Visited the Alhambra, Cordova, Seville, Madrid, and other places of interest. Leaving Spain, passed through France and Germany to Denmark, arriving at Copenhagen at the time of the "golden wedding" of the king and queen of Denmark. Here he saw the emperor of Russia and his wife, the king and queen of Denmark, the king and queen of Greece, the Prince of Wales, his

sons, and many other royal personages. From Denmark the trip was continued to the Arctic ocean, where the sun was seen at midnight four nights in succession; indeed, shining brightly the whole twenty-four hours of the day. The return trip was made through Norway, Sweden, Finland, St. Petersburg, Moscow, Warsaw, Berlin, Carlsbad, Bayreuth, and London. Mr. Hodge, soon after his return home, was made the candidate of his party for Congress, but was defeated, with the rest of the ticket, by the Democratic tidal wave which swept the country at that election. Mr. and Mrs. Hodge, in their travels, have visited every State and Territory in the Union. Residence, Cleveland, Ohio. Had by first wife a son, his only child.

One child:

1165. CLARK ROBERTS HODGE, b. July 16, 1857, in Chicago, Ill.

609. LYMAN DAVIS⁶ HODGE (*Benjamin⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 1, 1835; married, Feb. 18, 1869, MARY N. GRANGER, born Nov. 22, 1840, Buffalo, N.Y., daughter of Warren and Mary (Norton) Granger, and great-granddaughter of Abner Granger, of Suffield, Conn., a captain in the Revolutionary war. (Served as second lieutenant in Third Battalion of Connecticut troops authorized by General Assembly in 1776, Colonel Ely regimental commander. In 1782 a captain serving in regiment of Colonel Canfield at Horseneck.) Mr. Hodge died May 28, 1899. He graduated at Yale College in 1857; studied law in the office of Hon. Solomon G. Haven, of Buffalo, and was admitted to the bar. At the commencement of the Civil war he offered himself as a volunteer, but was rejected on account of defective eyesight; he, however, furnished a

substitute. In 1867 he went to St. Paul, Minn., where he associated himself in business with Colonel Warren Granger, his wife's brother, late of Buffalo, N.Y. In St. Paul he became a successful and much esteemed citizen. Quiet and unassuming, his house was a centre of culture and refinement. He was a brilliant conversationalist, always happily entertaining his friends. His library was richly stored with scientific and other valuable books. A few years since he took up what at the time he considered a temporary residence at Mount Vernon, in the State of Washington, where he suddenly died of paralysis. Mrs. Hodge, who is a fine musician, is now residing with her son at Nelson, British Columbia.

One child:

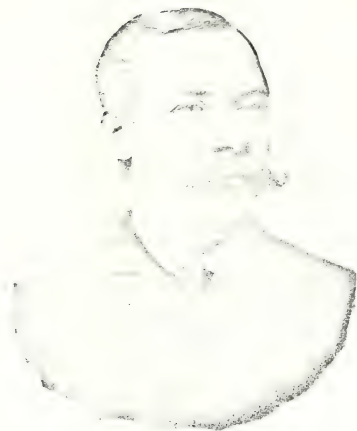
1166. BENJAMIN HODGE, b. March 5, 1871; m., Jan. 18, 1899, Ruth Stickney, b. March 30, 1873, of St. Paul, Minn., dau. of Alpheus Beede Stickney of that city. Mr. Hodge is a graduate of Yale College; a very bright, promising young man. He is a civil engineer, now connected with a large mining company at Nelson, British Columbia.

611. FANNY ELIZABETH⁶ HODGE (*Benjamin⁴, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 20, 1840; married, July 2, 1863, CHARLES C. NICHOLS, born May 16, 1836, and died Nov. 9, 1885. Mr. Nichols, after his marriage, engaged in business, first in Buffalo, N.Y., and then in Texas, after which he moved to St. Louis, Mo., where he died. Mrs. Nichols now resides in Wyoming, one of the suburbs of Cincinnati, O., a bright, vivacious little woman, greatly loved by all who know her.

Seven children:

1167. EDITH MAY NICHOLS, b. Oct. 12, 1864.



DWIGHT W. HODGE (No. 618).

1168. BENJAMIN HODGE NICHOLS, b. Nov. 13, 1866; m., Dec. 29, 1891, Cory Mary Curtis; had Frederick Herbert, b. March 31, 1895.
1169. CHARLES CLINTON NICHOLS, b. Aug. 30, 1868.
1170. HERBERT TAYLOR NICHOLS, b. April 20, 1870.
1171. FRANK BUTLER NICHOLS, b. Sept. 13, 1872.
1172. FANNY LINCOLN NICHOLS, b. June 23, 1881; d. Aug. 10, 1881.
1173. LOUISE CHURCHILL NICHOLS, b. June 23, 1881.

614. ALMEDA ZABLA⁶ HODGE (*Velorus⁴, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 23, 1831; married, June 20, 1866, PERRY GORDON BARRETT, b. July 27, 1830; son of Amos and Annis (Brown) Barrett. Mr. Barrett had for (1) wife Nellie O. Fiske, who died in 1860. He was a physician and farmer; served as a physician in the army in the Civil war. After the war, for a number of years, he practised his profession in Erie, Penn. Mr. and Mrs. Barrett gave considerable time to the study of botany, and several new species of flowers, discovered by them in Oregon, have been named for Mrs. Barrett. Resided Hood River, Oregon, where Mr. Barrett owned a large farm. He died Jan. 7, 1900.

One child:

1174. JULIA BARRETT, b. Sept. 10, 1869; m., Aug. 9, 1891, Oliver Howell. She d. at the res. of her parents, Nov. 18, 1892, leaving twin sons, Edward, b. Nov. 5, 1892, and Edwin, born the following day. These boys were legally adopted by their grandparents and given the name of Barrett; two bright and promising young lads.

618. DWIGHT WEBSTER⁶ HODGE (*Velorus⁴, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 5, 1841; married (1), Sept. 24, 1868, JULIA MELISSA OSBORN, born Aug. 13, 1841, and died March 16,

1878; married (2), Jan. 28, 1880, CARLIE ELIZABETH OSBORN, born Nov. 21, 1848, a cousin of the first wife. Mr. Hodge for some years was engaged in the roofing business; afterwards he became agent of the Warren-Scarf Asphalt Paving Company. During his agency nearly one hundred miles of asphalt paving was done in Buffalo. Having gained a competency, in 1890 he retired from active business and since then has spent considerable time in travel, having crossed the continent to the Pacific coast several times and journeyed in Europe nearly a year. Mr. and Mrs. Hodge are lovers of art and have a number of good specimens.

Two children:

1175. HARLEY HODGE, b. in 1873 and d. 4 mo. old.

1176. LEONARD OSBORN HODGE, b. March 11, 1878; d. July 14, 1878.

619. FREDERICK AUGUSTUS⁶ HODGE (*Victorus⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 8, 1846; married, July 18, 1872, LOUISA MARTIN, born Aug. 2, 1847, in Irondale, a suburb of St. Louis, Mo. The year of his marriage Mr. Hodge took up his residence in Kansas, where he engaged in the hardware trade. Later he returned to Buffalo, his native city, and went into business with his brother, who was managing agent of the Warren-Scarf Asphalt Paving Company. The two brothers made money very fast. In 1892 Mr. Hodge moved to Colorado, where he became the general superintendent of the Colorado Land and Water Company, in which he was the largest stockholder. The waters of the Arkansas river are carried through a canal many miles and made to flow over a great extent of territory owned by the company and others. Retaining his interest in this com-

pany, Mr. Hodge has since been a dealer in cattle. Residence, Pueblo, Col.

Seven children:

- 1177. ALLIE MARTIN HODGE, b. April 24, 1873; m., June 7, 1895, Edwin Grant Dexter, b. July 21, 1868, son of Henry and Mary Edna (Boardman) Dexter, of Calais, Me. Mr. Dexter is a college graduate and now a professor in the Illinois University; had Henry Vaughn, b. March 27, 1896, and a dau., b. Aug. 3, 1900.
- 1178. FRANK DALLAM HODGE, b. Aug. 3, 1875. Served as a corporal in the war against Spain, Company C, 5th Regt., Ohio Volunteers, from May 3 to Sept. 3 (1898), when the regiment was mustered out of service.
- 1179. LOUISE WEBSTER HODGE, b. Dec. 2, 1877.
- 1180. FREDERICK HODGE, b. June 18, 1880.
- 1181. VELORUS HODGE, b. April 14, 1883; d. Feb. 21, 1891.
- 1182. EDWARD DWIGHT HODGE, b. Dec. 26, 1885.
- 1183. RAYMOND HODGE, b. Feb. 8, 1888.

625. LAVINIA ASENATH⁶ COVELL (*Edmond⁵, Lydia⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 20, 1826; married, March 3, 1858, CHARLES LATHROP CLARK, who died July 21, 1895, in Columbus, Ohio. Mr. Clark had by a former wife, Susan Perkins, four children, all born in Glastonbury, Conn., one of whom was George Edwin, born Aug. 10, 1840, and died Sept. 10, 1879. He married, Aug. 27, 1872, Virginia Sophia Shedd, who in 1882 became the wife of Orlando J. Hodge (No. 605). Mr. Charles L. Clark had but one child by his second wife.

One child:

- 1184. CHARLES LATHROP CLARK, b. Aug. 16, 1868; m., Dec. 28, 1893, Cora Schrock, dau. of M. E. Schrock, of Columbus, Ohio. Res. Norfolk, Va.

- 646.** SARAH ANN⁶ BLAKE (*Electa*³ *Webster*, *Ann*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Feb. 26, 1821; married, Dec. 23, 1840, JACOB VAN DUZEN HOAG, born Dec. 14, 1818, and died Sept. 7, 1883. Mr. Hoag was from Batavia, N.Y.; married in Buffalo and afterwards resided there until about 1852, during which time he was interested in boating on the Erie canal. Leaving Buffalo, he went to Sacramento, Cal., then to Truckee, and from there to Los Angeles, where for many years he was a trusty agent of a California railroad company. Mrs. Hoag is residing with her daughter, Mrs. Daniel W. Parkhurst, at Fowler, Fresno Co., Cal.

Three children:

1185. MARIETTA LUCRETIA HOAG, b. June 26, 1845; m., Dec. 20, 1871, Daniel Webster Parkhurst, b. June 29, 1839; a man of ability and great energy; d. Dec. 31, 1899, at Fowler, Cal.

Four children:

MARIETTA L., b. and d. Nov. 18, 1872.

RAWSON HOAG, b. Feb. 15, 1874.

DEWITT HOAG, b. June 14, 1876; a Baptist clergyman; res. San Francisco, Cal.

WEBSTER HOAG, b. Nov. 27, 1877; d. Oct. 3, 1896.

1186. WILLIAM DEWITT HOAG, b. March 15, 1849; d. May 19, 1850.

1187. ELLA BELL HOAG, b. April 10, 1859; d. August, 1861.

- 653.** JERUSHA A.⁶ CURTIS (*Diroxilana*⁵ *Goodale*, *Jerusha*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born May 7, 1821; married, Nov. 26, 1843, JOHN H. HOLLISTER; residence, Connecticut.

Six children:

- 1188. AMELIA HOLLISTER, b. Aug. 18, 1846.
- 1189. JUSTIN HOLLISTER, b. Oct. 16, 1849.
- 1190. DAVID HOLLISTER, b. June 22, 1852; d. Oct. 15, 1875.
- 1191. SEYMOUR HOLLISTER, b. July 23, 1855.
- 1192. OTIS HOLLISTER, b. June 24, 1860; d. Aug. 12, 1860.
- 1193. ROSE JANE HOLLISTER, b. Sept. 24, 1861; m., 1885, William H. Smith, who d. March 19, 1891.

666. INMAN ALLAN⁶ GOODALE, (*Erastus⁵, Jerusha⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Jan. 21, 1825; married (1), March 1, 1851, MARY JANE OLIVER, born Jan. 24, 1834, and died Oct. 2, 1872; married (2), July 30, 1876, CHARLOTTE AMELIA LINZEE, born March 15, 1843. Mr. Goodale is a farmer; resides near Jefferson, Ohio.

Three children:

- 1194. CHARLES EMMETT GOODALE, b. July 15, 1853; m., 1879, Ivy Hoyt; had Raymond, b. March 15, 1881; res. Conneaut, O.
- 1195. IDA MAY GOODALE, b. May 25, 1857; m., July 4, 1876, Seymour Frayer. She d. May, 1899.
- 1196. HATTIE E. GOODALE, b. July 25, 1861; d. Feb. 28, 1862.

668. ERASTUS SHERMAN⁶ GOODALE (*Erastus⁵, Jerusha⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 21, 1829; married, Oct. 11, 1863, SUSAN OSBORN, born Oct. 27, 1841. Mr. Goodale is a farmer and resides near Jefferson, Ashtabula County, Ohio.

Three children:

- 1198. ADDIE IRENE GOODALE, b. Aug. 20, 1864; d. March 21, 1865.
- 1199. OSBORNE EUGENE GOODALE, b. Nov. 14, 1865.
- 1200. SARAH MAY GOODALE, b. Oct. 27, 1878; d. March 20, 1879.

669. JOHN FRANKLIN⁶ GOODALE (*Erastus⁵, Jerusha⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 9, 1832; married, Nov. 10, 1880, SARAH (WALKER) HUBER, born March 25, 1845; her first husband died March 9, 1870. Mr. Goodale is a farmer; resides near Jefferson, Ohio.

Three children:

1203. BIRDIE LENA GOODALE, b. Dec. 6, 1881.
 1204. HUGH ERASTUS GOODALE, b. Sept. 6, 1887.
 1205. SUSAN SPEEDY GOODALE, b. Nov. 10, 1892.

SEVENTH GENERATION.

764. MARY ANN⁷ HODGE (*Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Jan. 4, 1821; married, Oct. 27, 1841, MERRITT CLARK, born Dec. 4, 1815, and died Dec. 24, 1895. She died Nov. 27, 1889. Mr. Clark was a successful business man at Ansonia, Conn., where he died, leaving a large property.

Six children:

1216. EMILY CLARK, b. June 9, 1843; res. Ansonia, Conn.
 1217. MARY ELIZABETH CLARK, b. Feb. 4, 1845.
 1218. GEORGE BENJAMIN CLARK, b. Oct. 25, 1846.
 1219. JULIA VIRGINIA CLARK, b. Sept. 21, 1848.
 1220. CHARLES EDWARD CLARK, b. March 18, 1850.
 1221. WILLIAM JARED CLARK, b. July 20, 1854.

767. ELLEN LOUISE⁷ HODGE (*Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Nov. 24, 1837; married, June 24, 1856, JONAH CLARK PLATT, born Nov. 30, 1832, son of Newton and Anna (Clark) Platt; residence, Ansonia, Conn.

Five children:

- 1223. ANNIE LOUISE PLATT, b. May 18, 1857.
- 1224. FREDERICK NEWTON PLATT, b. Dec. 16, 1859; d. Sept. 20, 1861.
- 1225. ELLEN ADELIA PLATT, b. Sept. 1, 1862.
- 1226. ALFRED CLARK PLATT, b. Dec. 29, 1865.
- 1227. FRANKLIN BENJAMIN PLATT, b. May 6, 1868.

777. ANDREW JACKSON⁷ HODGE (*Oliver Perry⁶, Benjamin⁵, Benjamin⁴, Henry³, Henry², John¹*).

Born April 26, 1847; married, Jan. 23, 1872, ELIZABETH SEHRING, widow, born May 26, 1842. Mr. Hodge is a carpenter; residence, Osawatomie, Kansas.

Four children:

- 1230. DORA JENEVEE HODGE, b. Oct. 25, 1872; m., Oct. 25, 1894, William Herman Hart; had Herman Hobart, b. Oct. 3, 1896.
- 1231. FANNIE WINIFRED HODGE, b. Nov. 20, 1873; m., April 14, 1897, James Kent Lynn; had Ruby Vernie.
- 1232. BERTHA OLIVE HODGE, b. June 13, 1880; m., April 14, 1897, "Abe" Lynn; had dau. Ruby.
- 1233. MABEL ELIZABETH HODGE, b. Oct. 4, 1881.

796. ELIZABETH M⁷. HODGE (*Marvin G.⁶, Levi⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Jan. 3, 1848; married, Aug. 25, 1868, EDWARD F. WELCH, born July 14, 1845, of Maine; residence, Janesville, Wis.

Three children:

- 1235. RAYMOND FRANKLIN WELCH, b. Aug. 18, 1869.
- 1236. MARVIN JOHN WELCH, b. March 20, 1872.
- 1237. HAROLD CAMERON WELCH, b. Aug. 15, 1875.

797. HATTIE OLIVE⁷ HODGE (*Marvin G.⁶, Levi⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 23, 1849; married, Dec. 20, 1871, JOHN S. HATCH, born Aug. 16, 1840; married in New York City; residence, Washington, D.C.

Four children:

- 1239. FREDERICK WILLIAM HATCH, b. Feb. 23, 1873.
- 1240. EVA LOUISE HATCH, b. June 27, 1876.
- 1241. ALICE ELIZABETH HATCH, b. Jan. 12, 1880.
- 1242. CHARLES FRANCIS HATCH, b. July 9, 1883.

798. EMMA F.⁷ HODGE (*Marvin G.⁶, Levi⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 2, 1853; married, Sept. 13, 1876, DANIEL F. WILCOX, born Oct. 27, 1851, Hartford Mills, N.Y.; residence, Quincy, Ill.

Three children:

- 1244. MYRA LUCILE WILCOX, b. May 23, 1878.
- 1245. HARRIETTA FLORENCE WILCOX, b. July 18, 1882.
- 1246. CHESTER HODGE WILCOX, b. Sept. 23, 1886.

799. CARRIE L.⁷ HODGE (*Marvin G.⁶, Levi⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 30, 1856; married, June 7, 1883, CLARENCE L. CLARK, born Sept 9, 1856.

One child:

- 1248. GARDNER WINANS CLARK, b. March 14, 1886.

800. FREDERICK M.⁷ HODGE (*Marvin G.⁶, Levi⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 4, 1858; married, June 18, 1884, EDITH GIBSON, born Feb. 27, 1863; residence, Kalamazoo, Mich.

Three children:

1251. WINIFRED HODGE, b. March 21, 1885.
 1252. MARY ELIZABETH HODGE, b. July 1, 1890.
 1253. WINSHIP APPLETON HODGE, b. Sept. 18, 1892.

802. FREEMAN EDWARD¹ HODGE (*Freeman O.⁶, Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 23, 1845; married, May 30, 1866, SUSAN ARNOLD PIERCE, born April 17, 1842; daughter of Charles and Ann (Lunt) Pierce, Amesbury, Mass. Mr. Hodge was one of the first to respond to the call made by President Lincoln 1861, for troops in to put down the rebellion; residence, Amesbury, Mass.

Six children:

1255. AMY ANN HODGE, b. July 8, 1867; d. Sept. 14, 1868.
 1256. ALICE MABEL HODGE, b. Jan. 8, 1869.
 1257. SUSIE ETHEL HODGE, b. March 23, 1871.
 1258. EDWARD AVERY HODGE, b. Oct. 9, 1873.
 1259. WALTER POWERS HODGE, b. Sept. 27, 1875.
 1260. BERTHA LOUISE HODGE, b. Sept. 7, 1880.

803. WILLIS PARKER¹ HODGE (*Freeman O.⁶, Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 17, 1849; married, June 17, 1881, ELIZABETH M. PETERS, born May 28, 1859; residence, Jackson, N.H.

Two children:

1262. ORSON WILLIS HODGE, b. Sept. 18, 1884.
 1263. CEDRIC EMERY HODGE, b. Dec. 30, 1886.

804. LUCY ANN¹ HODGE (*Freeman O.⁶, Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 7, 1851; married, Oct. 4, 1883, CLINTON S. COOK, born July 4, 1844.

One child:

1266. SARAH LIZZIE COOK, b. Nov. 8, 1888.

805. AMY JANE⁷ HODGE (*Freeman O.⁶, Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born March 15, 1854; married LLEWELLYN J. PHILBRICK, born June 3, 1853.

One child:

1270. Dau., — PHILBRICK, b. Nov. 15, 1888.

806. MARY OLIVE⁷ HODGE (*Freeman O.⁶, Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 12, 1858; married, 1878, JOHN E. HEALEY, born March 8, 1857.

One child:

1274. CORA BELL HEALEY, b. Oct. 31, 1878.

825. REBECCA ALMIRA⁷ DOW (*Lucinda J.⁶, Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born March 25, 1850; married, June 5, 1872, JAMES EVERETT PIERCE, born Sept. 17, 1848, son of James and Mary (Sawyer) Pierce, and a cousin of Susan A. Pierce, who married Freeman E. Hodge (No. 802). Mrs. Rebecca A. Pierce died Sept. 11, 1892.

Five children:

1280. JANE DOW PIERCE, b. July 30, 1873; d. Sept. 28, 1877.

1281. MARY AMBER PIERCE, b. Sept. 7, 1874.

1282. LESLIE ALMA PIERCE, b. March 22, 1878.

1283. CAROLINE PIERCE, b. March 22, 1880.

1284. JAMES AVERY PIERCE, b. Nov. 29, 1882.

830. ABBIE LOUISE⁷ SPOONER (*Nancy*⁶, *Edward*⁵, *Thomas*⁴, *Samuel*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born March 18, 1854; married, March 26, 1878, GEORGE EDWARD MITCHELL, born March 27, 1852, in Lancaster, England.

Five children:

- 1286. LUCY EVANGELINE MITCHELL, b. Jan. 21, 1879.
- 1287. GEORGE A. MITCHELL, b. Oct. 5, 1880.
- 1288. NANNIE MABELLA MITCHELL, b. April 28, 1883.
- 1289. HARRY EARL MITCHELL, b. Jan. 12, 1886.
- 1290. ROSE E. MITCHELL, b. June 4, 1889.

838. CHARLES SPAULDING⁷ NUTTING (*Laura*⁶, *Nathaniel*⁵, *Thomas*⁴, *Samuel*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Oct. 17, 1865; married MARY EDNA SHEKMAN, daughter of Phineas Sherman, of Lisbon, N.H.

Four children:

- 1292. HARRY AUGUSTUS NUTTING, b. June 28, 1886.
- 1293. ELMER ELLSWORTH NUTTING, b. July 1, 1888.
- 1294. MINNIE ELLA NUTTING, b. Aug. 18, 1891.
- 1295. WALDO NUTTING, b. July 30, 1893.

843. RALPH L.⁷ HODGE (*Edward*⁶, *Hiram D.*⁵, *Thomas*⁴, *Samuel*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Nov. 2, 1861; married, Dec. 18, 1885, FANNY FERN TUBBS, born Sept. 14, 1863, daughter of Seth B. and Mary Catherine (Sears) Tubbs. Mr. Hodge was born in Minnesota; resided in 1897, near Marion, Kansas; farmer.

Two children:

- 1297. EDWARD G. HODGE, b. Nov. 18, 1887.
- 1298. EDITH HODGE, b. Sept. 10, 1894.

899. ROMAN⁷ HODGE (*Hatsel*⁶, *Benajah*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born probably about 1827; married JULIA TROWBRIDGE, daughter of James Trowbridge, of New Hartford, Conn., who had seven daughters and no son. One of the daughters became the second wife of Charles Woodbridge Hodge (No. 921). Besides the children whose names are here given there was another daughter.

Three children:

1303. GEORGIE HODGE, m. Robert Carpenter and had several children.
 1304. FREDERICK HODGE.
 1305. SARAH HODGE, m., per. Nov. 21, 1847, Charles Alonzo Lazenbrook, of Portland, Conn.

903. GEORGE EDWARD⁷ HODGE (*Hatsel*⁶, *Benajah*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born 1835; married (1) MARY J. BLISH, born Oct. 31, 1831, Glastonbury, Conn.; married (2), May 6, 1868, EUNICE C. STANLEY, born 1835; married (3) a widow named BARBER, of Westerly, R.I.; residence, 1897, Lyme, Conn. The following-named children were all by his first wife:

Four children:

1309. GEORGE EDGAR HODGE, b. Oct. 17, 1848; m., Dec. 1, 1887, Lena Burdick.
 1310. HARRIET MARIA HODGE, b. Sept. 6, 1855; m., Oct. 10, 1878, Henry W. Kellogg.
 1311. ANTHEA ELIZABETH HODGE, b. Jan. 14, 1861; m. Walter Burdick.
 1312. MARY HODGE, d. young.

916. EDWARD BENJAMIN⁷ HODGE (*Benjamin*⁶,
*Benajah*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Sept. 14, 1845; married, Oct. 17, 1871, MARY C. COWLES, born July 6, 1851; residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

Two children:

1315. LUCILLA H. HODGE, b. Aug. 22, 1873.

1316. MARY S. HODGE, b. April 15, 1877.

920. WATSON⁷ HODGE (*Orin*⁶, *Benajah*⁵, *Elijah*⁴,
*John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Nov. 11, 1832; married, Jan. 1, 1859, JENNIE SPEACUL, born November, 1842, daughter, it is said, of a Frazer Indian chief. Mr. Hodge is a farmer. In 1897 his mother, then nearly ninety years of age, and other relatives in Connecticut had long supposed that Mr. Hodge was killed by the Frazer River Indians twenty-five or more years ago, and were greatly surprised when informed by the writer that he was now living and where he resided. He has had eight children, three of whom, boys, died young; have not been given their names or dates of birth; residence, Mt. Vernon, Washington (State).

Five children:

1320. WILLIS HODGE, b. November, 1862; d. 1874.

1321. LEWIS HODGE, b. Nov. 22, 1864.

1322. ALICE HODGE, b. Jan. 7, 1867.

1323. CHARLES HODGE, b. Oct. 22, 1869.

1324. ADELAIDE HODGE, b. May 21, 1871.

921. CHARLES WOODBRIDGE⁷ HODGE (*Orin*⁶,
*Benajah*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Nov. 23, 1834; married (1), Aug. 20, 1854, HARRIET LUCRETIA BARNES, born Dec. 19, 1834, daughter

of Jerry and Susan (Richards) Barnes, of Tolland, Mass. There was a divorce in 1863, after which Mr. Hodge married (2) MARY ANN TROWBRIDGE, daughter of James Trowbridge, of New Hartford, Conn., a sister of Julia Trowbridge, who married Roman Hodge (No. 899). In 1895, while travelling in Connecticut, the writer met Mr. Hodge on a country road, and learning his name inquired of him if he had not a brother named Watson (see No. 920) living on the Pacific coast, to which he replied "no;" "but," said he, "I once had such a brother, who was killed by the Frazer River Indians more than twenty-five years ago." Being assured that his brother was still living, with big tears rolling down his cheeks he exclaimed, "I will see that brother before winter," and a couple of months later he passed through Cleveland on his way West. Mr. Hodge is a large, strongly built man, said to be an excellent mechanic, but evidently has been a "rolling stone" in life. In March, 1897, he was living in Glenwood, Minn.

His children were all by his first wife.

Three children:

1328. EVA LUCRETIA HODGE, b. Jan. 16, 1856.

1329. WATSON REED HODGE, b. Sept. 17, 1858.

1330. PHILIP GAYLORD HODGE, b. Dec. 14, 1860.

922. MARGARETTE JOSEPHINE² HODGE (*Orin*⁶,
*Benajah*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born April 14, 1838; married, Oct. 29, 1859, HIRAM P. LEONARD, of Henrietta, Ohio. She died April 12, 1872, and in 1882 he married (2) MATTIE RYBURN, "a little French woman," says a correspondent. The following children were by the first wife — residence, Connecticut:

Four children:

1331. ADELBERT LEONARD, b. Feb. 7, 1862.
 1332. ERMINIE ETTA LEONARD, b. May 3, 1865; m., May 16, 1892, Frank Keenan Wallace, b. Aug. 16, 1868, of Chicago, Ill., whose father was from Scotland and mother from Germany. Mrs. Wallace has been an actress for some years, and under the name of "Erma Melville" has gained success.
 1333. EMILY LEONARD, b. Sept., 1867; d. Jan. 10, 1869.
 1334. CARLETON REED LEONARD, b. Oct. 27, 1871; d. March 29, 1872.

923. WESLEY ALFRED⁷ HODGE (*Orin*⁶, *Benajah*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Jan. 7, 1846; married, July 16, 1865, BESSIE A. TOWNSEND, born Oct. 1, 1843, daughter of Samuel and Jane (Walker) Townsend. Residence, Plainville, Conn.

Three children:

1336. ALBERT WESLEY HODGE, b. Aug. 16, 1866.
 1337. EDITH MABEL HODGE, b. Jan. 2, 1868.
 1338. FRANK TOWNSEND HODGE, b. Feb. 3, 1871.

933. HIRAM EMERSON⁷ HODGE (*Alson*⁶, *Benajah*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born March 23, 1851; married, Jan. 20, 1875, LAVINIA ROOT, born Aug. 7, 1853, of Chatham, or E. Hampton, Conn.

Six children:

1342. EMERSON WESLEY HODGE, b. Dec. 23, 1875.
 1343. HARRISON HODGE, b. Nov. 2, 1877; killed when a boy, by a horse.
 1344. DWIGHT MARSHALL HODGE, b. Aug. 15, 1881.
 1345. HAROLD RAYMOND HODGE, b. Sept. 9, 1888.
 1346. GRACE FIDELIA HODGE, b. July 29, 1889.
 1347. JENNIE MILDRED HODGE, b. April 14, 1894.

945. JULIA AGNESⁱ HODGE (*Dudley⁶, Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 2, 1836; married, Dec. 22, 1855, HENRY TROWBRIDGE, born 1830; residence on "Matson Hill," South Glastonbury, Conn.

Four children:

- 1349. NANCY NAOMI TROWBRIDGE, b. July 21, 1856.
- 1350. EZRA B. TROWBRIDGE, b. June 5, 1858.
- 1351. FREDERICK TROWBRIDGE, m. Delia Chapman.
- 1352. GRACE TROWBRIDGE, m. George Carpenter.

949. MARIAⁱ ACKERT (*Eliza⁶, Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born about 1828; married, Jan 5, 1848, JOHN PENFIELD, of Portland, Conn.; residence, Portland, Conn.

Two children:

- 1356. OLIVER DEWITT PENFIELD, b. Oct. 8, 1850; m., Oct. 8, 1877, Mary Strickland; had Elizabeth, Mabel, Florence, Raymond Edward, and a fourth dau. Res. Meriden.
- 1357. NELSON E. PENFIELD, b. Oct. 19, 1856; m., Sept. 6, 1894, Mary E. (Gay) Geer, b. Dec. 17, 1846, widow of George Geer.

966. MARTHA A.ⁱ HODGE (*Elijah⁶, Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 9, 1844; married, Dec. 29, 1864, CHAUNCEY TYLER HUNT, born June 3, 1843, son of William and Clarinda (Sprague, *née* Main) Hunt. Residence, Rockville, Conn.

Seven children:

- 1360. OLIVER ELIJAH HUNT, b. Dec. 31, 1866; m., Sept. 3, 1890, Sarah Hughes; had George Alfred, b. Jan. 4, 1892, and Vera Evelyn, b. Jan. 13, 1896.

1361. CHARLES CLINTON HUNT, b. May 29, 1868; m., Aug. 24, 1892, Vina Rose; had Gilbert Guy, b. July 3, 1895.
 1362. LENA MAY HUNT, b. July 9, 1873; m., Dec. 13, 1893, George W. Bartlett; had Wallace Earl, b. Sept. 2, 1894.
 1363. EDITH EOLA HUNT, b. May 29, 1875.
 1364. EVA BELLE HUNT, b. Sept. 28, 1881.
 1365. DAISY VIOLA HUNT, b. May 10, 1883.
 1366. RAYMOND EARL HUNT, b. April 11, 1888.

968. CHARLES HAWLEY⁷ HODGE (*Elijah⁶, Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 29, 1851; married, Dec. 17, 1878, EMMA ROSELLA HOLLISTER, born Oct. 14, 1858, daughter of Ezra S. and Jerusha A. Hollister. Residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

Two children:

1368. LEWIS H. HODGE, b. Jan. 31, 1881.
 1369. REVA E. HODGE, b. May 5, 1888.

974. ROWLAND HUDSON⁷ HOLLISTER (*Cyphia⁶, Elizur⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 13, 1844; married (1), Nov. 18, 1866, JULIA TAYLOR GOODRICH, born Jan. 14, 1848, died Nov. 10, 1882; married (2), Nov. 18, 1883, CORA ABBEY, born July 18, 1854.

Two children:

1375. CALVERT R. HOLLISTER, b. May 25, 1868; m., 1894, Blanche Sellers; one child.
 1376. MAUD M. HOLLISTER, b. April 27, 1872.

980. LYMAN⁷ HODGE (*Anson⁶, Burrill⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 4, 1843; married, May 1, 1867, ELLEN PATTEN, born April 24, 1847, and died April 3, 1894; residence, South Manchester, Conn.

Four children:

1380. IDA CELESTIA HODGE, b. June 2, 1868; m., March 16, 1888, George W. Skinner, of Windsor, Conn., b. Dec. 3, 1853.
 1381. CLARENCE A. HODGE, b. July 23, 1869; m., Feb. 18, 1892, Edith Edwards.
 1382. ALBERT L. HODGE, b. June 18, 1876; d. June 20, 1876.
 1383. LOUIS M. HODGE, b. Nov. 3, 1877; d. Dec. 29, 1877.

981. LEORA⁷ HODGE (*Anson⁶, Burrill⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 8, 1845; married (1), Aug. 15, 1867, JAMES WILLIAM STEWART, born 1846 and died before 1879; married (2), June 29, 1879, ALBERT T. COVELL, born in 1843. Residence, Glastonbury, Conn. Two children by each husband.

Four children:

1386. MINNIE ESTELLA STEWART, b. July 9, 1868; d. Oct. 17, 1880.
 1387. LENA MAY STEWART, b. Jan. 8, 1870.
 1388. MINNIE ESTELLA COVELL, b. July 1, 1881.
 1389. CLARISSA IRENE COVELL, b. April 17, 1887.

983. EDGAR⁷ HODGE (*Anson⁶, Burrill⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 4, 1848; married (1), Sept. 26, 1869, ELLEN F. BASSETT, born in 1851, Manchester, Conn., died before 1873; married (2), May 22, 1873, PHCEBE A. CHADWICK, born in 1855, East Hadlyme, Conn. Had certainly six children, but names of only two have been given. The sixth was a son, born Sept. 26, 1876.

Two children:

1391. LOUISE HODGE.
 1392. ALBERT HODGE.

985. FRANCES⁷ HODGE (*Anson⁶, Burrill⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born March 10, 1852; married, Nov. 23, 1873, ERASTUS F. COWLES, born in 1853; residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

Five children:

1398. CHARLES ERASTUS COWLES, b. Sept. 12, 1874.

1399. GEORGE ANSON COWLES, b. Dec. 17, 1878.

1400. WILLIAM H. COWLES, b. Dec. 17, 1878.

1401. LUCIUS COWLES.

1402. ROBERT COWLES, b. prob. April 8, 1886.

986. MELVIN E.⁷ HODGE (*Anson⁶, Burrill⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 22, 1854; married, Feb. 22, 1881, ELIZABETH F. WHITE, born Aug. 10, 1862, of East Hartford, Conn. Residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

Three children:

1405. ELIZA A. HODGE, b. Aug. 6, 1884.

1406. CHARLES EDWIN HODGE, b. Nov. 20, 1886.

1407. ALFRED M. HODGE, b. Sept. 17, 1888.

987. IRVING W.⁷ HODGE (*Anson⁶, Burrill⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 1, 1856; married, Jan. 20, 1878, ALNA A. BIDWELL, born in 1862, died March, 1892; residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

Five children:

1410. ERNEST HODGE, b. March 9, 1879; one rec. says, "April 10."

1411. EUGENE HODGE.

1412. ELLA HODGE.

1413. LOUIS HODGE.

1414. A daughter, name not given.

989. EVELINE A.⁷ HODGE (*Chauncey*⁶, *Burrill*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Aug. 17, 1851; married (1), Aug. 29, 1872, CHARLES L. WRIGHT, born in 1852 and died Aug. 31, 1873; married (2), 1874, CHARLES H. ADKINS, who died before 1881; married (3), May 3, 1881, LORENZO D. CLARK; had at least four children, but name of only one ascertained; residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

Four children:

- 1417. Son, — WRIGHT, b. May 19, 1873.
- 1418. ALICE EVELINE ADKINS, b. Aug. 9, 1875.
- 1419. Dau., — CLARK, b. April 4, 1885.
- 1420. Dau., — CLARK, b. Jan. 16, 1888.

990. WILBUR JAMES⁷ HODGE (*Chauncey*⁶, *Burrill*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Dec. 12, 1854; married, Oct. 27, 1881, ELLA M. BEMONT, born in 1862, Glastonbury, Conn., where Mr. Hodge resided, and certainly had four children; the name of only one, however, has been ascertained.

Four children:

- 1423. A dau., b. May 20, 1885.
- 1424. A son, b. Jan. 2, 1888.
- 1425. WILLIAM EDWIN HODGE, b. Jan. 28, 1890.
- 1426. A son, b. Feb. 11, 1892.

1005. CHARLES G.⁷ HODGE (*Lodrick*⁶, *Noel*⁵, *Elijah*⁴, *John*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born Jan. 15, 1852; married, Oct. 24, 1874, EMMA A. BROWN, born Dec. 28, 1852; residence near Hopewell P.O., Glastonbury, Conn.

Two children;

1429. FRANK G. HODGE, b. June 25, 1875.

1430. JESSIE HODGE, b. June 10, 1887.

1010. ULYSSES GRANT⁷ HODGE (*Lodrick⁶, Noel⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 26, 1864; married, July 7, 1885, IDA E. ROBERTS, born Oct. 8, 1863, daughter of Julius Roberts, of E. Hartford, Conn. Mr. Hodge's residence, Glastonbury, Conn.

Two children:

1432. ALICE MAY HODGE, b. Oct. 18, 1886.

1433. EDITH ELIZABETH HODGE, b. Aug. 18, 1889.

1072. HENRY S.⁷ HODGE (*Silas⁶, Asa⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 6, 1843; married (1) HARRIET E. RISING; married (2), Feb. 19, 1883, JULIA A. LYNCH, born July 22, 1860, Unionville, Conn. Children, except the last one, all by first wife.

Four children:

1436. HENRIETTA HODGE, b. July 6, 1869; m., Jan. 7, 1887, Philip J. Messenger, b. Oct. 26, 1865. She d. Nov. 20, 1897; had Leon P., b. Nov. 26, 1889, and Rebe E., b. June 6, 1892; res. Granville, Mass.

1437. HENRY S. HODGE, b. Jan. 19, 1871; m. Fanny Pomeroy, b. February, 1872.

1438. BERTHA M. HODGE, b. Feb. 27, 1873.

1439. SILAS H. HODGE, b. Aug. 6, 1887.

1085. NINETTA ROSALTHA⁷ HODGE (*Lyman F.⁶, Asa⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 18, 1855; married, March 25, 1871, ROY N. OTIS; residence, Westfield, Mass.

Six children :

- 1443. WALTER D. OTIS, b. April 14, 1872; m.
- 1444. PERRY R. OTIS, b. Jan. 25, 1874.
- 1445. IMA S. OTIS, b. Dec. 23, 1880; m.
- 1446. ARTHUR OTIS, b. Oct. 2, 1883.
- 1447. ARCHIE OTIS, b. Oct. 2, 1883.
- 1448. LEON C. OTIS, b. Aug. 28, 1890.

1087. MARY ELIZABETH⁷ HODGE (*Cyrus⁶, Ira⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 5, 1832; married, May 20, 1854, JACOB ROHR, who in 1894 resided in Madrid, Iowa.

Two children :

- 1450. EMILY RUEY ROHR, b. April 1, 1855; m. Daniel Weston, Boone, Iowa.
- 1451. ISABELLA ROHR, b. Oct. 28, 1857; d. Sept. 28, 1885.

1089. IRA BERTRAM⁷ HODGE (*Cyrus⁶, Ira⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 8, 1839; married, Jan. 23, 1862, JOSEPHINE BROWN, born in Collins, N.Y., and married in Clayton, Iowa. He died Dec. 19, 1892.

Two children :

- 1455. ADDISON BERTRAM HODGE, b. Dec. 24, 1867, Clayton, Ia.
- 1456. HENRY FRANKLIN HODGE, b. , Clayton, Ia.

1090. HENRY DEXTER⁷ HODGE (*Cyrus⁶, Ira⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 11, 1842, Collins, N.Y.; married, Oct. 13, 1868, LUCY JEROME, born in Clayton, Ia. He served a year in the 48th Regiment Wisconsin troops, in the Civil war. Now a farmer in Kossuth Co., Ia.

Three children:

1459. ALICE HODGE, b. June 15, 1871.

1460. JAMES HODGE, b. Oct. 20, 1875.

1461. WILLIAM HODGE, b. , 1877.

1091. FRANCIS LEROY⁷ HODGE (*Cyrus⁶, Ira⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 22, 1844, Big Rock, Kane Co., Ill.; married, April 23, 1867, MARY MARGARET DE LORIMIER, who died Feb. 24, 1886. He served in the 48th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry, a year, during the Civil war. In 1894 resided at Elkador, Ia., where, with his son Cyrus, he was engaged in the hardware business.

Five children:

1464. VERNUEIL FRANCIS HODGE, b. April 12, 1863; d. May 9, 1869.

1465. MARY CAROLINE HODGE, b. Nov. 30, 1870.

1466. CYRUS LEROY HODGE, b. Sept. 24, 1873.

1467. SARAH FRANCES HODGE, b. March 5, 1875.

1468. LOUISE SCOTT HODGE, b. Nov. 3, 1881.

1095. ALICE ADELAIDE⁷ HODGE (*Horatio F.⁶, Ira⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 19, 1842; married, Jan. 23, 1862, GEORGE L. SHEPHERDSON, born June 28, 1833; clergyman.

Three children:

1470. LEONARD SHEPHERDSON, b. Oct. 3, 1863.

1471. CARRIE SHEPHERDSON, b. July 8, 1865.

1472. BELLE SHEPHERDSON, b. Sept. 4, 1877.

1096. ANNA RELIEF⁷ HODGE (*Horatio F.⁶, Ira⁵, Eli⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 9, 1846; married, Nov. 2, 1873, FRANCIS MEYERS, who died Nov. 28, 1888.

Five children:

- 1475. AUBERT L. MEYERS, b. Sept. 28, 1874.
- 1476. ELWOOD MEYERS, b. Sept. 19, 1876; d. Sept. 26, 1876.
- 1477. ALICE C. MEYERS, b. Feb. 23, 1878.
- 1478. FRANCIS M. MEYERS, b. Nov. 25, 1881.
- 1479. LOVEL P. MEYERS, b. April 11, 1883.

1101. WILLIAM CHURCHILL⁷ HODGE (*William⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 4, 1851; married, Oct. 18, 1876, HELEN MARIA HOPKINS, born Oct. 20, 1857. Mr. Hodge was born and has always resided in Buffalo, N.Y. For many years he was a partner in a large gentlemen's furnishing-store; later he has dealt in real estate. Mrs. Hodge is a woman of much energy and force of character; residence on Hodge ave.

Four children:

- 1480. WILLIAM CHURCHILL HODGE, b. Oct. 24, 1877.; grad. Yale College; now in U.S. Forestry Department.
- 1481. HELEN M. HODGE, b. May 30, 1879; d. May 5, 1891.
- 1482. HAROLD HODGE, b. March 29, 1882.
- 1483. SHELDON HODGE, b. April 23, 1883.

1102. WILLARD WAY⁷ HODGE (*William⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 15, 1853; married, June 12, 1879, ELIZABETH AUSTIE CHRISTEY, born Oct. 18, 1855. He died March 31, 1896. Mrs. Hodge, with her son and daughter, has spent some years in Europe; she is a good French scholar and a woman of marked ability.

Two children:

- 1484. ELIZABETH HODGE, b. March 28, 1880.
- 1485. SHURLEY CHRISTEY HODGE, b. Aug. 30, 1881.

1103. CHARLES JONES⁷ HODGE (*William⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 18, 1856; married, Oct. 22, 1879, ANNIE EMILY BELTON, born July 21, 1859; residence, Buffalo, N.Y.

Five children:

- 1486. CHARLES LANSING HODGE, b. April 7, 1881.
- 1487. GILBERT SCATCHERD HODGE, b. March 28, 1884.
- 1488. NELSON WEBSTER HODGE, b. May 10, 1887.
- 1489. ROBERT BELTON HODGE, b. Jan. 11, 1889.
- 1490. ERIC LAWRENCE HODGE, b. Jan. 17, 1894.

1105. EUGENIE MARIA⁷ HODGE (*Philander⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 1, 1838; married (1) THEODORE J. BARNETT, born in 1808 and died Sept. 29, 1892. Mr. Barnett was a lawyer and journalist; a man of much ability.

There was a separation between Mr. Barnett and his wife, who was thirty years his junior, and finally a divorce, after which she married a man by the name of HAMMOND, with whom she lived some years in Chicago, Ill., where she died March 4, 1896. She had by her first husband three children, two of whom died young, and one by her second husband, who was drowned.

Surviving child:

- 1491. OTTO RAYMOND BARNETT, b. Sept. 21, 1868; m., June 18, 1895, Mabel Day Rowley, b. July 16, 1869. Mr. Barnett is a lawyer of fine ability who was admitted to practise his profession before he was twenty years of age; office in Chicago; res. Glencoe, near Chicago: had "new born" dau. d. Dec. 12, 1897, and Robert Livingston, b. Nov. 29, 1899, who d. Jan. 18, 1900.

- 1106.** ANNIE CORINNE⁷ HODGE (*Philander⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Jan. 15, 1841; married, June 2, 1869, JOHN AVERY, born July 15, 1830, and killed by a railroad engine striking him, January, 1883; son of John and Sarah (Derby) Avery, of Weston, Mass. She died Jan. 22, 1892. Mr. Avery was the fifth John Avery in direct line of descent who had graduated at Harvard College; residence, Yonkers, N.Y.

Three children:

1495. JOHN AVERY, b. Sept. 11, 1870; res. Yonkers.

1496. ROBERT LIVINGSTON AVERY, b. Feb. 17, 1874; d. May 12, 1874.

1497. STANLEY ROBERT AVERY, b. Dec. 14, 1879.

- 1109.** MARY HODGE⁷ PURDY (*Mary B.⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 15, 1840; married, Dec. 2, 1863, WILLIAM H. WELDON, born Jan. 8, 1839, and died Dec. 11, 1868; residence, Mansfield, Ohio.

Two children:

1499. MARY CHURCHILL WELDON, b. Oct. 28, 1865.

1500. WILLIAM McELROY WELDON, b. Dec. 28, 1868; m., Oct. 7, 1896, Sarah May Black. Mr. Weldon is an attorney-at-law; res. in Mansfield, Ohio.

- 1111.** JENNETTE WALLACE⁷ PURDY (*Mary B.⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 4, 1843; married, Sept. 13, 1865, Major JOSEPH SNIVELY HEDGES, of Franklin County, Penn., now

a retired United States army officer; residence, Mansfield, Ohio.

One child:

1502. GRACE PURDY HEDGES, b. Jan. 16, 1867.

1115. ADELAIDE W.⁷ PURDY (*Mary B.⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born March 13, 1852; married, Feb. 23, 1875, FRANK S. LAHM, of Mansfield, Ohio. In 1897 he was residing in Paris, France. She died in February, 1878.

Two children:

1505. KATHERINE H. LAHM, b. Dec. 3, 1875.

1506. FRANK PURDY LAHM, b. Nov. 17, 1877.

1118. WILLIAM PERRY⁷ STURGES (*Helen L.⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born June 1, 1853; married (1), Sept. 10, 1879, LENA LYON, born March 26, 1856, and died June 19, 1886; daughter of Rev. Aaron Jackson and Olive (Weatherby) Lyon; married (2), Oct. 9, 1888, MARY AMELIA POOL, born Oct. 13, 1857; daughter of John George and Mary Louise (Perry) Pool. Mr. Sturges for a number of years has been connected with a bank in Mansfield, Ohio, where he now resides.

Four children:

1508. HELEN LYON STURGES, b. April 29, 1880; d. Feb. 18, 1892.

1509. WILL FLINT STURGES, b. June 16, 1883.

1510. MARY POOL STURGES, b. Feb. 2, 1890; d. Aug. 23, 1890.

1511. JOHN PERRY STURGES, b. Dec. 31, 1893.

1119. HELEN HODGE⁷ STURGES (*Helen L.⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 21, 1855; married, Sept. 8, 1880, CHARLES W. UPSON, born March 14, 1855; she died Nov. 2, 1884.

Four children:

- 1514. HELEN STURGES UPSON, b. May 16, 1881.
- 1515. JAMES W. UPSON, b. June 21, 1882.
- 1516. CHARLES J. UPSON, b. April 25, 1883.
- 1517. FREDERICK SANDERS UPSON, b. Oct. 14, 1884.

1120. EBEN BUCKINGHAM⁷ STURGES (*Helen L.⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 10, 1857; married, March 8, 1882, CLADA ELLEN COOK, born May 18, 1858.

Four children:

- 1518. CHRISTINE STURGES, b. April 11, 1883.
- 1519. LOIS STURGES, b. Oct. 20, 1885; d. Jan. 14, 1891.
- 1520. MARCHIE STURGES, b. Sept. 23, 1887.
- 1521. A dau., — STURGES, b. Feb. 2, 1896.

1124. PURDY HODGE⁷ STURGES (*Helen M.⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Aug. 4, 1864; married, March 19, 1890, HELEN B. MONTAGUE. Mr. Sturges is a fine accountant; for some years connected with a Chicago bank, but in 1897 returned to Ohio, where he was born.

Two children:

- 1524. KENNETH M. STURGES, b. Jan. 20, 1891.
- 1525. MARIAN STURGES, b. June 11, 1893.



O. J. HODGE, 2d (No. 1528).

1127. KARL⁷ HODGE (*Frank⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 15, 1865; married, Oct. 31, 1892, JESSIE DUNCAN BEEBE, born March 8, 1867, daughter of Hon. David Duncan and Ellen A. (Brewster) Beebe, of Hudson, Ohio. Mrs. Hodge is a direct descendant of Elder William Brewster, one of the leading spirits of the "Mayflower" party, 1620, and also of Capt. Nathaniel White, one of the early colonial settlers. Mr. Hodge, after the completion of his studies at Hudson (Ohio) College, having a natural taste for mechanical work, took a course of training in a large machine establishment at Geneva, Ohio. After this he was in the employ of a newspaper company in Cleveland, and soon became its business manager. Leaving Cleveland, he went to Kentucky, where he was in the employ of a large land company, during which time he studied law and was admitted to the bar.

In 1895 he returned to Cleveland, and under Mayor McKissan's administrations served two years as secretary to the director of charities, and two years as secretary of the director of public works. For a number of years he was a member of the Cleveland Philharmonic Society. Residence, Cleveland, Ohio.

One child:

1528. ORLANDO J. HODGE, b. May 29, 1894.

1131. CARRIE ELIZABETH⁷ JONES (*Cordelia A.⁶, Lorin⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 22, 1848; married, March 17, 1890, Dr. HENRY FREDERICK STEVENS, b. June 30, 1849. The doctor, for some years after his marriage, practised at

his profession in Portland, Oregon, where he attained reasonable success, but finally became unfit for business and was taken to his parents' home in the East, where at last accounts he was living. Mrs. Stevens, with her daughter, resides in Colorado.

One child:

1530. FREDERICA LEIGHTON STEVENS, b. May 18, 1893.

1132. BENJAMIN HODGE⁷ JONES (*Cordelia A.⁶, Lorin⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Jan. 2, 1850; married, Sept. 23, 1877, MARIA PINNEY, of Chicago, Ill., from whom he separated some years since. Residence, when last heard from, San Francisco, Cal.

Two children:

1531. ARTHUR BENJAMIN JONES, b. Sept. 30, 1878.

1532. FREDERICK PINNEY JONES, b. Feb. 22, 1882.

1134. WILLIAM FRANCIS⁷ JONES (*Cordelia A.⁶, Lorin⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born April 5, 1857; married, Nov. 2, 1882, JENNIE MARION JOHNSON, born Oct. 1, 1861, daughter of Oscar William and Emily Murrey Johnson, of Fredonia, N.Y. Mr. Jones for many years has held a responsible position in a bank at Buffalo, N.Y., where he now resides.

Three children:

1534. WALTER HOLT JONES, b. Oct. 7, 1883.

1535. LEONARD CORNING JONES, b. Jan. 27, 1885.

1536. JAMES HARRINGTON JONES, b. May 6, 1887.

1135. JAMES LEONARD CORNING⁷ JONES (*Cordelia A.*⁶, *Lorin*⁵, *Benjamin*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born May 27, 1859; married, Aug. 8, 1892, ANNA MARTIN, born May 13, 1871, daughter of Frederick Martin, of Portland, Ore.; have two children, but name of youngest not given; residence, Portland, Ore.

One child:

1539. GENEVIEVE JONES, b. May 30, 1894.

1137. EMMA LOUISE⁷ HODGE (*Varnum J. C.*⁶, *Lorin*⁵, *Benjamin*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born May 28, 1849; married, Oct. 30, 1868, Dr. CHARLES S. SHELDON, born Jan. 14, 1842. Resided many years at Greenville, Mich., where children were all born.

Now living at Madison, Wis., where the doctor stands high in his profession and his wife takes a leading part in society affairs and club work.

Five children:

1543. WILLIAM HODGE SHELDON, b. Oct. 8, 1869; d. April 22, 1874.
 1544. SIDNEY ROBY SHELDON, b. April 11, 1873.
 1545. WALTER HODGE SHELDON, b. Dec. 8, 1874.
 1546. STUART HARRIS SHELDON, b. Aug. 23, 1876.
 1547. HELEN MIRIAM SHELDON, b. Dec. 3, 1884.

1139. WILLIAM ALONZO⁷ HODGE (*Varnum J. C.*⁶, *Lorin*⁵, *Benjamin*⁴, *Benjamin*³, *Samuel*², *John*¹).

Born May 31, 1854; married (1), July 19, 1876, LOVINA BROWN, born May 7, 1854, and died Nov. 19, 1890;

married (2), Dec. 30, 1893, ELMA E. (PRITCHARD) BETTS, born Aug. 22, 1866, widow of Eugene Betts, who died Aug. 29, 1887. Residence, Jefferson, Ohio.

One child:

1549. ELINOR EMMA HODGE, b. July 24, 1879; teacher.

1140. SABA VIRGINIA⁷ HODGE (*Varnum J. C.⁶, Lorin⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 3, 1855; married, June 12, 1872, JAMES H. MORGAN, born Jan. 14, 1851, son of Cornelius and Lucy (Avery) Morgan, a well-to-do farmer in Plymouth, Ohio. The son lives on a farm adjoining.

Six children:

1551. CORNELIUS MORGAN, b. April 22, 1873.

1552. FREDERICK C. MORGAN, b. March 20, 1875; served 6 mos. in 5th Regt., O.V.I., in Spanish-American war, 1898.

1553. VARNUM J. MORGAN, b. Sept. 24, 1876; m., Nov. 11, 1896, Jessie Herrick; have Ralph Jones, b. May 8, 1898.

1554. WILLIAM HODGE MORGAN, b. July 15, 1878; served 6 mos. in 5th Regt. O.V.I., in Spanish-American war.

1555. CHARLES SHELDON MORGAN, b. July 15, 1880; served in 5th Regt., O.V.I., six months in Spanish-American war.

1556. BESSIE ADELIA MORGAN, b. March 7, 1882.

1146. CHARLES AUGUSTUS⁷ KEELER (*Vienna⁶, Aylsworth, Clarissa⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Nov. 6, 1840; married, Nov. 6, 1866, SARAH C. MILLER, born April 20, 1840. Mr. Keeler for several years was connected with the U.S. Life Saving Service, stationed at St. Joseph, Mich., where he now resides.

Three children:

- 1559. JEAN ELBERT KEELER, b. Jan. 29, 1868; d. Sept. 11, 1868.
- 1560. CHARLES ARTHUR KEELER, b. Nov. 2, 1870; m., Oct. 1, 1891, Kate Stephens, b. March 17, 1878; res. Chicago, Ill.
- 1561. BESSIE MAUD KEELER, b. March 31, 1885.

1149. CORA BELLE² AYLSWORTH (*Philander⁶, Clarissa⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 17, 1858; married, June 8, 1877, WILLIAM A. GRIFFIN, b. March 10, 1854, Denmark, Lee County, Iowa. Residence, Alva, Oklahoma Territory.

Six children:

- 1564. CLARA DELL GRIFFIN, b. March 31, 1878.
- 1565. MILA MARIA GRIFFIN, b. March 6, 1880.
- 1566. GEORGE ELMER GRIFFIN, b. June 15, 1881.
- 1567. HARRY HODGE GRIFFIN, b. June 18, 1883.
- 1568. LUNICE DORE GRIFFIN, b. Dec. 28, 1885.
- 1569. THEO. ATHOL GRIFFIN, b. March 13, 1893.

1162. WILLIAM G.² AYLSWORTH (*Charles II.⁶, Clarissa⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born May 20, 1852; married, Oct. 1, 1874, L. ORILLA KIRTLAND, born July 19, 1854; daughter of James Kirtland. Mr. Aylsworth died May 27, 1886, by his horse falling on him; residence, Baggs, Dixon (P.O.), Wyoming Territory.

Three children:

- 1572. HARRY E. AYLSWORTH, b. Oct. 14, 1875.
- 1573. GEORGE W. AYLSWORTH, b. Aug. 10, 1877; d. Oct. 7, 1880.
- 1574. CHARLES A. AYLSWORTH, b. July 22, 1884.

1165. CLARK ROBERTS' HODGE (*Orlando J.⁵, Alfred⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born July 16, 1857; married, June 16, 1880, FLORA FASSETT, born Sept. 23, 1858, daughter of Samuel M. and Cordelia Adele (Strong) Fassett. Mrs. Fassett was a Washington artist; she painted a picture of the "Electoral Commission" — the body which gave Mr. Hayes his title to the Presidency — which was purchased by Congress, and is now among the celebrated paintings in the corridors of the National Capitol Building. The Fassett family line runs as follows: John Fassett, Bennington, Vt., 1761, one of the first settlers of that town; a member of the Legislature and clerk of the first church organized in the State. Jonathan, his son, who was an officer in the Revolutionary war. Jonathan had Samuel M., born Oct. 5, 1785, in Bennington, and died Nov. 3, 1834, at Southwold, Canada, leaving seven children, one of whom was Samuel M., father of Flora, who married Mr. Hodge. At the wedding of Mr. Hodge, at the residence of the bride's parents in Washington, Gen. James A. Garfield, who had just been nominated for President, was one of the guests. Mr. Hodge died Nov. 29, 1880, after an illness of two weeks. He was born in Chicago, educated at the public schools in Cleveland, and there died. At the time of his death he was business manager of a newspaper edited and owned by his father. Thus, briefly told, lived and died the son and only child of the compiler of this work. Mrs. Hodge, after the death of her husband, returned to live with her parents in Washington, and ever since has been a resident of that city; a blonde, with dark eyes, vivacious, well educated, and beloved by a large circle of friends.

EIGHTH GENERATION.

- 1217. MARY ELIZABETH⁸ CLARK** (*Mary A.⁷, Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Feb. 4, 1845; married, June 14, 1866, EDSON LEWIS BRYANT, born Feb. 7, 1842.

Three children:

1577. MARY EDNA BRYANT, b. Jan. 6, 1868; d. March 15, 1868.
 1578. ANNE ELIZABETH BRYANT, b. Jan. 12, 1869; m., Oct. 15, 1891, Theodore Wells Bassett, b. July 31, 1869.
 1579. GEORGE CLARK BRYANT, b. Jan. 8, 1873.

- 1218. GEORGE BENJAMIN⁸ CLARK** (*Mary A.⁷, Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Oct. 25, 1846; married, Oct. 17, 1882, CAROLINE JUSTINA BIRDSEYE, born April 27, 1847. Mr. Clark is a prominent business man in Ansonia, Conn.

Two children:

1582. ETHEL BIRDSEYE CLARK, b. Nov. 5, 1884.
 1583. MILDRED REBECCA CLARK, b. Jan. 14, 1888.

- 1219. JULIA VIRGINIA⁸ CLARK** (*Mary A.⁷, Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Sept. 21, 1848; married, June 30, 1875, WILLIAM R. STEEL, born April 7, 1846.

Five children:

1586. WILLIAM R. STEEL, b. April 29, 1876; d. Jan. 20, 1878.
 1587. JULIA MARGARET STEEL, b. Sept. 28, 1877.
 1588. EMILY ISABEL STEEL, b. Oct. 29, 1879.
 1589. ANNIE BASSETT STEEL, b. Jan. 4, 1882; d. July 19, 1884.
 1590. MARY CLARK STEEL, b. Nov. 26, 1889.

1220. CHARLES EDWARD⁸ CLARK (*Mary A.⁷, Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born March 18, 1850; married, Oct. 21, 1874, LILLIE HAWKINS, born Sept. 15, 1853. Mr. Clark for a number of years was, and perhaps still is, cashier of a national bank in Birmingham, Conn.

Three children:

- 1593. FRANK MERRITT CLARK, b. Aug. 11, 1877.
- 1594. EMMA ADELAIDE CLARK, b. Aug. 25, 1879.
- 1595. RALPH HODGE CLARK, b. April 24, 1888.

1221. WILLIAM JARED⁸ CLARK (*Mary A.⁷, Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born July 20, 1854; married, Sept. 27, 1877, MARY TERRY, b. May 3, 1857; residence, New York City.

Three children:

- 1597. WILLIAM MERRITT CLARK, b. March 9, 1880.
- 1598. HAROLD TERRY CLARK, b. Sept. 4, 1882.
- 1599. ROBERT LINCOLN CLARK, b. April 29, 1885.

1223. ANNIE LOUISE⁸ PLATT (*Ellen L.⁷, Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born May 18, 1857; married, April 17, 1882, EDWARD T. VANCE, of Bridgeport, Conn.

Three children:

- 1602. EDWARD CLYDE VANCE, b. Jan. 8, 1883.
- 1603. HELEN LOUISE VANCE, b. Dec. 7, 1888.
- 1604. HOWARD PLATT VANCE, b. Jan. 29, 1895; d. June 27, 1895.

1225. ELLEN ADELIA^s PLATT (*Ellen L.¹, Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Sept. 1, 1862; married, Sept. 14, 1892, Rev. WILLIAM HENRY INGLE HOUGHTON, of the Episcopal church; residence, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Two children:

1607. EDNA PLATT HOUGHTON, b. Sept. 8, 1894.

1608. WILLIAM HYSLOP HOUGHTON, b. March 5, 1896.

1226. ALFRED CLARK^s PLATT (*Ellen L.¹, Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born Dec. 29, 1865; married, July 10, 1888, FRANCES D. LAMBERT, who died aged 24.

One child:

1610. ALLIE CLARK PLATT, b. April 6, 1889.

1227. FRANKLIN BENJAMIN^s PLATT (*Ellen L.¹, Benjamin⁶, Benjamin⁵, Daniel⁴, Daniel³, Thomas², John¹*).

Born May 6, 1868; married, June 14, 1894, CARRIE LOUISE NETTLETON, of Milford, Conn.

One child:

1614. FRANKLIN NEWTON PLATT, b. May 27, 1896.

1258. EDWARD AVERY^s HODGE (*Freeman E.¹, Freeman O.⁶, Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 9, 1873; married, July 23, 1895, EVA MAY TIBBETS, born May 10, 1875; daughter of Eri and Eliza

B. (Pinkham) Tibbets, of Milton, N.H.; residence, 1896, Everett, Mass.

One child:

1617. BERNICE GERTRUDE HODGE, b. April 21, 1896.

1281. MARY AMBER³ PIERCE (*Rebecca A.⁷ Dow, Lucinda J.⁵, Samuel⁵, Thomas⁴, Samuel³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 7, 1874; married, Sept. 30, 1896, WILLIAM GAVIN TAYLOR, born Sept. 1, 1872; son of William and Harriet (Davis) Taylor, of Maynard, Mass.; residence, Medford, Mass.

Two children:

1620. DORIS TAYLOR, b. July 11, 1897.

1621. GAVIN PIERCE TAYLOR, b. Nov. 8, 1898.

1328. EVA LUCRETIA³ HODGE (*Charles W.⁷, Orin⁶, Benajah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Jan. 16, 1856; married, Jan. 4, 1876, JAMES MONROE WEBSTER, born March 12, 1850; son of Justus and Sarah Maria (Hopkins) Webster; residence, Burlington, Conn.

Two children:

1633. SUSAN BELLE WEBSTER, b. May 27, 1878.

1634. DUANE JERRY WEBSTER, b. Feb. 28, 1883.

1329. WATSON REED³ HODGE (*Charles W.⁷, Orin⁶, Benajah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Sept. 17, 1858; married, April 27, 1883, IDA JANE MILLER, born Nov. 25, 1863; daughter of Newton T. and Delia Ann (Humphrey) Miller, of Farmington,

Conn. Mr. Hodge is a farmer, and resides near Burlington, Conn.

One child:

1638. ERNEST HODGE, b. Aug. 28, 1891.

1330. PHILIP GAYLORD³ HODGE (*Charles W.¹, Orin⁶, Benajah⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Dec. 14, 1860; married, Jan. 7, 1891, LENA BELLE ALDERMAN, daughter of Manna and Maria (Howe) Alderman.

Two children:

1642. ETHEL VARENA HODGE, b. Aug. 30, 1893.

1643. A son, b. Nov. 16, 1895.

1387. LENA MAY³ STEWART (*Lcora¹, Anson⁶, Burrill⁵, Elijah⁴, John³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Jan. 8, 1870; married, Jan. 18, 1888, GEORGE E. STANTON.

Three children:

1646. ALBERT EZRA STANTON, b. Sept. 25, 1888.

1647. RAYMOND GEORGE STANTON, b. May, 1890.

1648. JESSIE MAY STANTON, b. Jan. 4, 1892.

1499. MARY CHURCHILL³ WELDON (*Mary H.¹ Purdy, Mary B.⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

Born Oct. 28, 1865; married, Aug. 17, 1892, EMMETT WILLIAM GANS, born May 20, 1861; son of Daniel Le Moyne and Margaret Gordon (Hanna) Gans. Mrs. Gans died Aug. 23, 1899; residence, Mansfield, Ohio.

Three children:

- 1652. MARY PURDY GANS, b. April 21, 1896.
- 1653. GORDON CUSTER GANS, b. Nov. 5, 1897.
- 1654. HELEN MAE GANS, b. Aug. 23, 1899.

1502. GRACE PURDY⁸ HEDGES (*Jennette W.¹ Purdy, Mary B.⁶, William⁵, Benjamin⁴, Benjamin³, Samuel², John¹*).

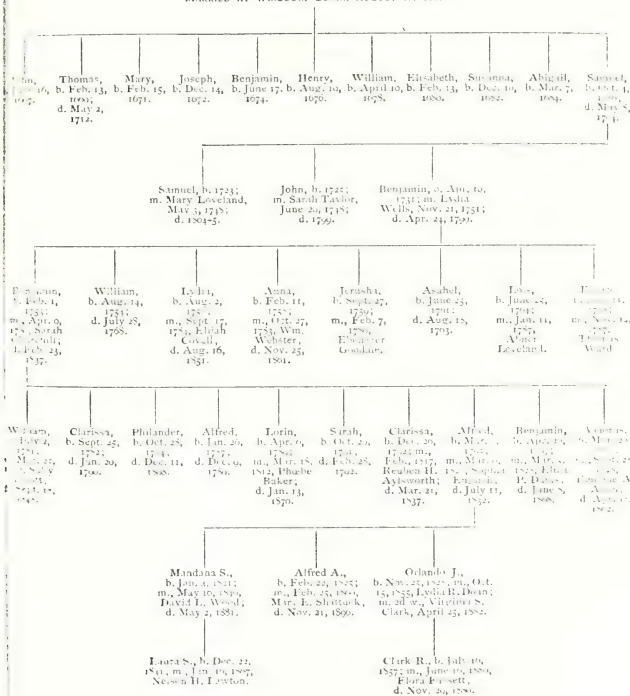
Born Jan. 16, 1867; married, June 30, 1892, CHARLES SANFORD WILLIAMS, born June 14, 1869; son of Butler Franklin and Caroline Frances (Edwards) Williams; residence, Mansfield, Ohio.

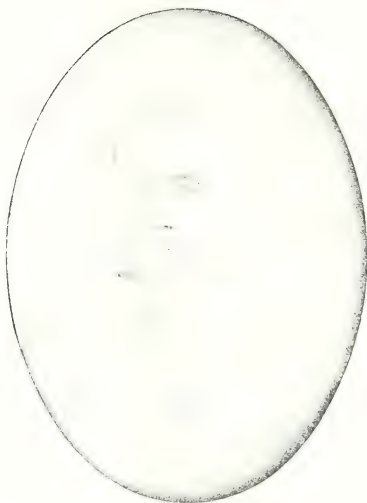
Three children:

- 1655. JENNETTE HEDGES WILLIAMS, b. Aug. 16, 1893.
- 1656. CHARLES FRANCIS WILLIAMS, b. July 26, 1894.
- 1657. MURIEL WILLIAMS, b. Oct. 24, 1895.

JOHN HODGE AND SUSANNA DENSLOW.

MARRIED AT WINDSOR, CONN., AUGUST 17, 1666.





Virginia S. Hodge

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| John, b. June 16, 1757. | Thomas, b. Feb. 13, 1758; d. May 2, 1772. | Mary, b. Feb. 15, 1771. | Joseph, b. Dec. 1, 1772. |
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Samuel, b.
m. Mary Lee
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| Benjamin, b. Feb. 1, 1751; m. Apr. 6, 1751, Sarah Churchill; d. Feb. 23, 1837. | William, b. Aug. 14, 1754; d. July 28, 1765. | Lydia, b. Aug. 1755; m. Sept. 1758, Eli Covell; d. Aug. 1, 1851. |
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| William, b. July 2, 1781; m. Mar. 27, 1812, Sally A. Cott; d. Sept. 15, 1818. | Clarissa, b. Sept. 25, 1782; d. Jan. 20, 1790. | Philander, b. Oct. 23, 1784; d. Dec. 11, 1803. | Al b. J. 1785; d. 1 |
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m. May 1,
David L.
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OTHER HODGE FAMILIES.

THE CHARLES HODGE FAMILY.

[The family records of Charles Hodge and other Hodge families on succeeding pages have been compiled by Mrs. Virginia S. Hodge, wife of the author.]

1. CHARLES HODGE.

Was probably born between the years 1655 and 1665; he married, July 1, 1686, a woman whose first name was ANN; notice of intention to marry was given in the church at Lyme, Conn., June 17, two weeks previous to the marriage. Mr. Hodge, it is quite probable, was a younger brother of John Hodge, whose line has been traced on the preceding pages. The reasons for this belief are given in the "Introductory Chapter," and though the evidence is not decisive, it furnishes grounds strongly favoring the conclusion reached. The first knowledge had of Mr. Hodge may be found on the records of old Lyme, Conn. Savage in his "Genealogical Dictionary of New England" calls him Hodges, but a personal inspection of the old records of Lyme show the name is Hodge. In these records the name is only once spelled Hodges, while it appears many times as Hodg and once at least as Hodge. Mr. Hodge moved from Lyme to East Haven about 1715. That he changed his residence to that place there is no doubt. The New Haven records speak of him

as being from Lyme, and in all cases the name is plainly written Hodge. Sept. 10, 1691, Mr. Hodge purchased in Lyme, of Samuel Tinker, six acres of land, Josiah and Hannah Peck being witnesses to the transaction. Oct. 22, 1702, he bought land of Mathew Waller, for which he gave in payment £4.10 and two cows. December 30, same year, he purchased of Samuel and Mathew Waller fourteen acres of land, for which he gave "two young heifers and eight sheep." March 3, 1703, he entered into an agreement with Joseph Peck respecting the boundary of certain land. March 12, same year, he and his wife Ann deeded land to William Warmon for £22.10. Dec. 21, 1710, he gave a mortgage on sixty acres of land to two men who signed a bond for him in the sum of £40. This is the last mention of him found in the records of Lyme.

He next appears as a resident of East Haven, when, Oct. 13, 1715, he purchased two acres of land of William Luddington, and November 7, following, released the same. April 3, 1717, he purchased, of John Augur, land adjoining that of John and Samuel Russell. The day his son John was married he gave him certain property, and Jan. 24, 1728, the day of his son Richard's marriage, he gave him stock from his farm. An old East Haven, Conn., record says: "Thomas Hodge, son of Charles Hodge, born July 12, 1692, at Lyme." He is believed to have had the following children, born in Lyme, but there is no record in that town of any children having been born to him. Thomas, John, and Richard certainly were his children, and Ann, Abigail, and Abraham probably were.

Six children:

2. ANN HODGE, b. prob. in 1687.
3. ABIGAIL HODGE, b. 1689: m., July 29, 1713, Henry Neals.

4. THOMAS HODGE, b. July 12, 1692.
5. ABRAHAM HODGE, b. in 1693-4.
6. JOHN HODGE, b. abt. 1695.
7. RICHARD HODGE, b. abt. 1697.

2. ANN² HODGE (*Charles*¹).

Born probably 1687; married, Feb. 28, 1711, WILLIAM LUDDINGTON, JR., born Sept. 25, 1687, of New or East Haven. It will be seen on a preceding page that Charles Hodge, the supposed father of Ann, in 1715, purchased of Mr. Luddington two acres of land which he afterwards released to him. Mr. Luddington was a resident of East Haven late as 1726, afterwards of Waterbury, Conn.

Seven children:

8. MATHEW LUDDINGTON, b. April 25, 1712.
9. RUTH LUDDINGTON, b. June 7, 1713.
10. NAOMI LUDDINGTON, b. Dec. 15, 1716.
11. ELIZABETH LUDDINGTON, b. Feb. 9, 1720.
12. ABRAHAM LUDDINGTON, b. Nov. 30, 1721.
13. SAMUEL LUDDINGTON, b. Aug. 10, 1723.
14. JOSEPH LUDDINGTON, b. April 3, 1726.

4. THOMAS² HODGE (*Charles*¹).

Born July 12, 1692; married, in 1717, JANE MOULTHROP, daughter of Mathew Moulthrop. (Thomas and his brother John evidently married sisters, but the records leave a doubt as to which married the one or the other — Mary or Jane.) Mr. Hodge died in 1771 and Jane, his supposed wife, died in 1779. Resided East Haven, Conn.

Six children:

15. LYDIA HODGE, b. Aug. 12, 1718.
16. JAMES HODGE, b. April 17, 1720.
17. HANNAH HODGE, b. Sept. 21, 1722.

18. JOB HODGE, b. April 24, 1726.
19. KEZIAH HODGE, b. Aug. 12, 1729.
20. ABEL HODGE, b. March 8, 1731.

5. ABRAHAM² HODGE (*Charles*¹).

Born 1693-4; married ABIGAIL, of New Haven, Conn. Mr. Hodge resided in New Haven until probably about 1729. That year he is mentioned in the Waterbury records as living there and having two children. Mr. Hodge was one of the first settlers of that town.

Five children:

21. ABRAHAM HODGE, b. June 23, 1726.
22. ISAAC HODGE, b. June 7, 1729.
23. ABIGAIL HODGE, b. April 13, 1732.
24. DAVID HODGE, b. Feb. 7, 1734.
25. SAMUEL HODGE, b. Aug. 6, 1736.

6. JOHN² HODGE (*Charles*¹).

Born about 1695; married, March 14, 1716-7, MARY MOULTHROP, born Dec. 13, 1694, daughter of Mathew Moulthrop. (See note, Thomas Hodge, No. 4.) East Haven, Conn., records show John Hodge purchased land there April 18, 1722, and Oct. 24, 1729. Jan. 31, 1734-5, administration granted on his estate, and at the same time a guardian was appointed for his daughter.

One child:

26. MARY HODGE, b. abt. 1717; after her father's death John Dickerman was appointed her guardian; m., May 4, 1735, Caleb Andrews.

18. JOB³ HODGE (*Thomas*², *Charles*¹).

Born April 24, 1726. Whom Mr. Hodge married has not been ascertained, but she was a member of the church

of New Fairfield, as shown by the fact that Mr. Hodge's children were baptized, as the record says, "on the mother's account."

Three children:

27. JOB HODGE, b. Jan. 13, 1760; bap. April 27, 1760.
This Job is probably the Job who was in the Revolutionary war from Wilton, Conn., and in the census of 1840 was enumerated as a pensioner eighty years of age. This corresponds, as will be seen, with date of birth. When he enlisted, his name evidently was put down as Hodges, and when he became a pensioner necessarily in the papers no other name could be used. He married and had a daughter Nancy, who m., March 14, 1825, Stephen Hoyt, of Wilton. There was a Samuel Hodge of Wilton, Feb. 24, 1843, sold land in Wilton for \$2,000, who perhaps was another child of this Job.
28. HANNAH HODGE, bap. June 14, 1761.
29. ANNE HODGE, bap. March 20, 1771.

20. ABEL³ HODGE (*Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born March 8, 1731; married REBECCA TROWBRIDGE. He died April 25, 1802, "aged 72." Mr. Hodge's will bears date May 24, 1795, and was admitted to probate May 15, 1802. Administration granted on Mrs. Hodge's estate, May 29, 1813, to Daniel Hodge. Resided Washington, Conn.

Eleven children:

30. REBECCA HODGE, m., Feb. 12, 1772, Benajah Beardsley.
31. ANNE HODGE, m., Feb. 10, 1773, Elijah Sperry.
32. KEZIAH HODGE, b. 1754; m. Abel Sherwood, b. 1754 and d. Oct. 14, 1819. She d. April 7, 1853.
33. ABEL HODGE, b. Dec. 2, 1757; bap. April 2, 1758.
34. DANIEL HODGE, b. Mar. 29, bap. May 25, 1760. First Congregational Church, New Fairfield, Conn., record says, Oct. 31, 1796, for church expenses, "he gave liberally."

- 35. KETURAH HODGE, b. prob. June 4, 1762.
- 36. THOMAS HODGE, b. Aug. 4, 1764.
- 37. MARY HODGE, m., March 13, 1788, "Squire Whitlock."
- 38. SIBYL HODGE, m. Timothy Driscoll.
- 39. THADDEUS HODGE, b. Aug. 4, 1768; bap. "Sept. 24, 1769."
- 40. FORAZINA HODGE, bap. Dec. 13, 1772, "it being the Lord's Day;" m. prob. William Brewster.

33. ABEL¹ HODGE (*Abel*¹, *Thomas*², *Charles*¹).

Born Dec. 2, 1757; married (1), November, 1778, TABITHA ELWELL, born February, 1760, and died Nov. 10, 1782; married (2), April 6, 1783, KETURAH JONES, born Jan. 18, 1760, and died Oct. 27, 1844. He died Jan. 2, 1850. Mr. Hodge served in the Revolutionary war, in Capt. Thomas Bull's company, light horse, of Hartford, Maj. Elisha Sheldon's regiment, from Sept. 23 to Dec. 22, 1776, three months. The regiment accompanied General Washington on his retreat through New Jersey. Mr. Judson A. Hodge, of Wyocena, Wis., a grandson of Mr. Abel Hodge, says of his grandfather: "I often heard him tell how he went with the troops from Albany to the battle of Plattsburg and of being at Norwalk, Conn., when that place was burned by the British. On the latter occasion," says the grandson, "grandfather said he had six shots at the British as good as any he ever had at a partridge."

Mr. Hodge died at the residence of this grandson, at Shushan, N.Y. He had by his first wife two children, and by his second six.

Eight children:

- 41. NOAH HODGE, b. Sept. 3, 1779.
- 42. TABITHA HODGE, b. July 2, 1782; d. Nov. 27, 1839.

- 43. NEHEMIAH HODGE, b. Dec. 9, 1784.
- 44. ABEL HODGE, b. Oct. 27, 1788.
- 45. SAMUEL HODGE, b. Jan. 7, 1790; d. Feb. 26, 1880.
- 46. REBECCA HODGE, b. Nov. 30, 1793.
- 47. JAMES HODGE, b. Aug. 2, 1796; d. Sept. 21, 1872; res. N.Y. State.
- 48. ANNA HODGE, b. Oct. 26, 1800; d. Oct. 8, 1876; m. Moses Miller; a dau. now living.

36. THOMAS¹ HODGE (*Abel¹, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Aug. 4, 1764; married, May 17, 1784, ABIGAIL ELWELL, who died Oct. 19, 1826. He died Sept. 6, 1832. Mr. Hodge, May 17, 1793, was made an ensign in Fifth Company, Sixteenth Regiment Connecticut Militia, and May 16, 1794, Gov. Samuel Huntington commissioned him captain of the same company. He left no will; administration was granted on his estate to Reuben Hodge, probably his son, and Alanson Lessey, who married his daughter Abigail. He had, as will be seen, seven sons and seven daughters. Resided near Danbury, Fairfield County, Conn.

Fourteen children:

- 49. ANNA HODGE, b. Dec. 1, 1785; d. Oct. 4, 1816.
- 50. EBER HODGE, b. Nov. 17, 1787.
- 51. JABEZ HODGE, b. Oct. 20, 1789; d. Sept. 24, 1793.
- 52. LEWIS HODGE, b. Oct. 30, 1790; d. Sept. 24, 1793.
- 53. ZODOCK HODGE, b. Jan. 18, 1792; d. Sept. 9, 1794.
- 54. ZABINA HODGE, b. Jan. 18, 1794; m. Alva Bradley, who was drowned in Balls Pond, north of Danbury.
- 55. ABIGAIL HODGE, b. Dec. 5, 1795; m., Dec. 8, 1814, Alanson Lessey, and had ten children: Phoebe m. a Hoag; one m. Oliver P. Hodge (No. 94), and one m. Joshua Hodge (No. 95), his brother.
- 56. PAMELIA HODGE, b. Jan. 16, 1797; m. (1) Daniel Davis; m. (2) Amos Abbott.

- 57. REUBEN HODGE, b. May 14, 1799.
- 58. REBECCA HODGE, b. Aug. 7, 1801; m. Levi Knapp;
seven children; one, Emily, m. Ira B. Hodge (No. 78).
- 59. KEELER HODGE, b. May 9, 1803; d. from penknife
wound in side; unm.
- 60. SALLY HODGE, b. July 22, 1805; m. W. Davis.
- 61. HIRAM HODGE, b. July 16, 1807; m. and had a son.
- 62. PHÆBE HODGE, b. April 24, 1809; m. Dennis Peck;
four children.

39. THADDEUS¹ HODGE (*Abel², Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Aug. 4, 1768; married, Oct. 2, 1788, LUCINDA HOYT, born Dec. 25, 1765, and died Nov. 17, 1847; daughter of John and Tryphena (Clark) Hoyt, of Danbury, Conn. Mr. Hodge died April 25, 1811. His will bears date Feb. 11, 1811, and by it his son Ferris is named executor.

The widow after 1813 became the third wife of Israel Osborn, son of James and Elizabeth (Mead) Osborn. She outlived him several years, he dying March 30, 1835, at Brookfield, Conn., and she dying at New Fairfield in the same State. Mr. Hodge resided near Danbury.

Six children:

- 63. FERRIS HODGE, b. July 23, 1789.
- 64. ASA HODGE, b. May 13, 1791.
- 65. MARY HODGE, b. May 4, 1793; m. Joshua Elwell.
- 66. HORACE HODGE, b. Jan. 31, 1795.
- 67. BETSEY HODGE, b. Nov. 27, 1797; m. Arza Bigelow.
- 68. DAVID HODGE, b. March 4, 1799.

44. ABEL¹ HODGE (*Abel⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Oct. 27, 1788; married (1), April 19, 1810, HANNAH SLITER, born Dec. 14, 1791, and died July 23, 1837; mar-

ried (2) a BISSELL of Dutchess County, N.Y. Mr. Hodge died Jan. 6, 1857, at Shushan, N.Y.

Five children:

- 69. HARRIET HODGE, b. June 16, 1811; m., April 28, 1842, Samuel Oviatt; had Lydia; all now dead.
- 70. MARIETTA HODGE, b. Jan. 22, 1814; m., Nov. 5, 1835, Lorenzo P. Wing; had Hannah, Elbert, and one other child. Hannah m., Dec. 24, 1855, Bartlett Heath, who d. two years later; had two children. Elbert m. Cornelia Fisk; have two children; res., N. Hoosick, N.Y.
- 71. BETSEY ANN HODGE, b. March 27, 1817.
- 72. ABEL HODGE, b. Aug. 15, 1821; d. Aug. 15, 1821.
- 73. JUDSON ADONIRAM HODGE, b. Oct. 11, 1835.

50. EBER¹ HODGE (*Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Nov. 17, 1787; married (1) ELIZABETH COUCH; divorced; married (2) SALLY —, who died Oct. 26, 1827. After the divorce Mr. Hodge may have moved to Rochester, N.Y., where an Eber Hodge's will is recorded Aug. 18, 1822, in which he mentions "wife Sally."

The first wife, after her divorce, married George De Lavan, of Danbury. Had one child by first wife; perhaps others by second wife.

One child:

74. HULL H. HODGE.

57. REUBEN¹ HODGE (*Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born May 14, 1799; married (1) SALLY WHITLOCK, born March 9, 1800, and died Feb. 7, 1835; married (2) NANCY BARNUM, born July 9, 1810, a widow, daughter of Amos and Hannah (Knapp) Abbott. Mr. Hodge died

Oct. 8, 1872; residence, Fairfield County, Conn.; had by first wife three children, and by second wife six.

Nine children:

- 75. NORMAN HODGE, b. Sept. 13, 1819.
- 76. CHARLES ORSON HODGE, b. Aug. 12, 1822.
- 77. GRANVILLE HODGE, b. May 5, 1826.
- 78. IRA BARNUM HODGE, b. Aug. 1, 1836.
- 79. GEORGE WASHINGTON HODGE, b. March 23, 1838.
- 80. HIRAM H. HODGE, b. May 16, 1842.
- 81. JOHN MURRAY HODGE, b. April 28, 1844.
- 82. HANNAH ANN HODGE, b. May 1, 1846; unm.
- 83. AMOS HODGE, b. April 4, 1848.

63. FERRIS⁵ HODGE (*Thaddcus*⁴, *Abel*³, *Thomas*², *Charles*¹).

Born July 23, 1789; married ARTEMESIA CORLEY. He was drowned in Balls Pond, near Danbury, Conn., April 6, 1813. Resided on farm in that vicinity.

One child:

- 84. FERRIS HODGE: the land records of Danbury show that Feb. 11, 1834, he deeded land in Fairfield County which came to him through his father, by inheritance from Thomas Hodge, his great-great-grandfather, to Reuben Hodge. Res., Stamford, N.Y.

64. ASA⁵ HODGE (*Thaddcus*⁴, *Abel*³, *Thomas*², *Charles*¹).

Born May 13, 1791; married RACHEL STEVENS. He died March 3, 1864; she died Dec. 20, 1882.

Nine children:

- 85. CLARISSA HODGE, b. Jan. 3, 1818; d. April 18, 1875; m. a Martin and had son George, who served in Civil war. Res., Zoar Bridge, Conn.

- 86. THADDEUS HODGE, b. June 12, 1820.
- 87. DANIEL H. HODGE, b. Jan. 21, 1822.
- 88. THOMAS KEELER HODGE, b. Nov. 23, 1824.
- 89. RHODA A. HODGE, b. March 5, 1827; m. Nelson White.
- 90. MARIA HODGE, b. Aug. 25, 1829; m. a Woodin, of Pawling, N.Y.; d. Feb. 11, 1884.
- 91. DAVID A. HODGE, b. June 1, 1832; in Civil war from Bridgeport, Conn.
- 92. CHARLES M. HODGE, b. March 22, 1834; m. and had two sons who d. early. He d. July 23, 1864, from wound received at Bermuda Hundred, Va., while in Civil war.
- 93. HORACE HODGE, b. March 5, 1839; m. and had one son. Mr. Hodge d. March 2, 1862, at Hilton Head, S.C., while in the military service in the Civil war.

66. HORACE⁵ HODGE (*Thaddeus⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Jan. 31, 1795; married, 1818, HULDAH ELWELL, born Jan. 8, 1795, and died Jan. 2, 1882. He died Oct. 24, 1849, leaving no will. The New Fairfield township records say she died Dec. 23, 1881. Sept. 23, 1823, he was a member of the First Congregational Church.

Five children:

- 94. OLIVER P. HODGE, b. March 15, 1819; bap. Dec. 25, 1831.
- 95. EDWIN HODGE, b. Sept. 20, 1820; bap. Dec. 25, 1831.
- 96. JOSHUA HODGE, b. Oct. 1, 1823; bap. Dec. 25, 1831.
- 97. ALEXANDER HODGE, b. July 8, 1828; bap. Dec. 25, 1831.
- 98. ANN ELIZABETH HODGE, b. May, 1829; bap. July 6, 1834; m. Stephen La Forge, of Rossville, Staten Island, N.Y.

68. DAVID⁵ HODGE (*Thaddeus⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born March 4, 1799; married LUCY HODGE, born probably 1794, and died Aug. 24, 1854, says town record;

other record says, "Sept. 16." He died Sept. 5, 1854; administration granted on his estate Sept. 19, 1854, to William Hodge, his eldest son.

Four children:

- 99. WILLIAM HODGE.
- 100. MARY HODGE; m. a Tuttle.
- 101. LUCINDA HODGE; m. a Lyon.
- 102. THEODORE HODGE, b. prob. 1829; m., April 2, 1855,
Mary —, b. prob. 1834; had son b. March 15, 1858.

71. BETSEY ANNⁿ HODGE (*Abel³, Abel⁴, Abel⁵,
Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born March 27, 1817; married, May 14, 1840, R. NILES RICE, born Sept. 12, 1813, and died June 9, 1895. She died June 2, 1876.

Six children:

- 103. JEROME B. RICE, b. July 19, 1841; res. Cambridge, N.Y.
- 104. JAMES HARVEY RICE, b. Oct. 31, 1843.
- 105. JOSEPHINE RICE, b. Sept. 15, 1845; m. a Wilcox; she d. July 11, 1896.
- 106. MARIETTA RICE, b. Dec. 11, 1847; m., May 15, 1872, Dr. Albert S. Newcomb, b. May 21, 1841, at Saratoga, N.Y. The doctor is a descendant of Andrew Newcomb, a sea-captain, the progenitor of the chief Newcomb family in this country. See Newcomb Family, in another part of this work, and see Newcomb Genealogy. No children. Res. 206 W. 71st street, New York City.
- 107. ALBERTINE RICE, b. Oct. 9, 1853; m. Edwin Fuller.
- 108. ANNA GERTRUDE RICE, b. Oct. 31, 1859; d. Dec. 30, 1893.

73. JUDSON ADONIRAM⁶ HODGE (*Abel⁵, Abel⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Oct. 11, 1835; married, Dec. 23, 1855, MARY A. WAIT, born Aug. 25, 1836, daughter of Lee Warner and Lydia (Stearns) Wait. Mr. Hodge married and resided at Shushan, N.Y., until 1857, when he moved to Wisconsin; now resides at Wyocena, in that State. He served in the Civil war in Company A, Fourth U.S. Artillery. Mr. Hodge and many of the other descendants of Abel Hodge, the Revolutionary soldier, — perhaps all of them, — have been adding an "s" at the end of their names, making it Hodges; but how this addition to the name came, no one appears to know. The army records show that the soldier ancestor of this family bore the name of plain Abel Hodge, and the old town records of Connecticut give the names of his ancestors as Hodge. It may be added that the descendants of the brothers of this Abel Hodge have held to the original name. Mr. Judson Adoniram Hodge in a late letter signs his name Hodge, and says he is satisfied that the family name is Hodge, instead of Hodges.

Nine children:

109. ANNA GRACE HODGE, b. July 24, 1858.
110. EMMA C. HODGE, b. April 13, 1860; d. Jan. 22, 1879.
111. HATTIE I. HODGE, b. Dec. 31, 1861; d. Oct. 14, 1876.
112. LEONA MAY HODGE, b. May 19, 1863; d. July 7, 1879.
113. EDWIN JUDSON HODGE, b. Aug. 24, 1866; m., Sept. 26, 1894, Georgiette Browbender; had Mariette, b. Oct. 27, 1898.
114. ALICE MAUD HODGE, b. Dec. 7, 1868; m., Aug. 25, 1888, John Price; had one child, d. young. Mrs. Price d. Dec. 20, 1895.
115. CHARLES LEE HODGE, b. Nov. 1, 1874; d. May 19, 1888.

116. EDNA M. HODGE, b. Aug. 17, 1877; d. Feb. 12, 1881.

117. BESSIE ESTELLE HODGE, b. Jan. 15, 1880; unm.

74. HULL H.⁶ HODGE (*Eber⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Married MARY M. COUCH, daughter of Jonathan and Lydia (Hoyt) Couch. He died at Bethel, Conn., after which the widow married (2), June 11, 1857, George Plumb Starr, born Nov. 21, 1808, and died April 13, 1867; son of Asahel and Betsey (Lacey) Starr.

One child:

118. HENRY BOWEN HODGE, bap. Nov. 2, 1834; m. (1), whom or when not ascertained; m. (2), Aug. 21, 1890, Martha Stokes, b. 1848. Married in N.Y. City.

75. NORMAN⁶ HODGE (*Reuben⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Sept. 13, 1819; married, Oct. 7, 1840, LYDIA ANN COUCH, born April 21, 1820, daughter of Calvin and Abiah Appleton (Martin) Couch. Mr. Hodge was Judge of the Probate Court, Danbury, Conn., for some years, and has filled several other public positions. He is a man of high standing in the community, and though advanced in years is active and thorough-going in business affairs. He has a fine residence in Danbury, where he and his estimable wife, in 1897, were happily enjoying their old age.

One child:

119. REUBEN CALVIN HODGE, b. Aug. 2, 1841.

76. CHARLES ORSON⁶ HODGE (*Reuben⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Aug. 12, 1822; married, Dec. 25, 1846, AMY BARNUM, born Oct. 12, 1822, daughter of Ed. and Marilla

(Hoyt) Barnum. Mrs. Hodge died Oct. 20, 1884, and he July 21, 1868. Resided, Southeast, Putnam County, N.Y.

Seven children:

120. ANNA MARIA HODGE, b. Nov. 3, 1847; m., Feb. 8, 1882, Truman Banks.
121. JOHN CRAWFORD HODGE, b. Oct. 10, 1849; m. Ella Bantle, *née* Bronson, dau. of Barlow Bronson; one child.
122. MARY CORNELIA HODGE, b. Jan. 15, 1852; m., Nov. 20, 1872, Ira D. Knapp.
123. HENRY BARNUM HODGE, b. Sept. 18, 1854; unm; res. Brewster, N.Y.
124. IDA M. HODGE, b. Jan. 26, 1856; m., Feb. 11, 1883, Charles Lent.
125. SARAH AUGUSTA HODGE, b. April 6, 1860; m., June 13, 1887, Frank Eno.
126. EDWIN F. HODGE, b. April 17, 1862; m. Edith Rogers; two children.

77. GRANVILLE ⁶ HODGE (*Reuben⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born May 5, 1826; married ANN ELIZA BYINGTON, born Aug. 1, 1828, daughter of Isaac W. and Sarah T. (Davis) Byington. Residence, Brewster, N.Y.

One child:

127. LEROY HODGE, b. April 12, 1861; d. July 22, 1864.

78. IRA B. ⁶ HODGE (*Reuben⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Aug. 1, 1836; married (1) EMILY KNAPP, daughter of Levi and Rebecca (Hodge) Knapp; married (2) EMMA KNAPP, born probably in 1852, daughter of Hinman and Mary (Mansfield) Knapp, and niece of first wife. Mr. Hodge died Jan. 14, 1882, according to one record,

but Norman Hodge (No. 75) says he died Jan. 19, 1883. The widow, Aug. 29, 1886, married (2) Charles L. Comstock, "æ. 27." Mr. Hodge had no children.

79. GEORGE WASHINGTON⁶ HODGE (*Reuben⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born March 23, 1838; married MARY E. PEARCE, born in 1844, daughter of Mathew Pearce. Mr. Hodge died June 23, 1889. The widow, March 14, 1892, became the second wife of George W. Turner, who was then 69 years old. (Perhaps had daughter Hannah, b. Jan. 1, 1868.)

One child:

128. FRANK WILBUR HODGE, b. July 21, 1864.

80. HIRAM H.⁶ HODGE (*Reuben⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born May 16, 1842; married EMILY BEEBE, born September, 1840, daughter of Herman K. and Caroline (Crosby) Beebe.

Five children:

129. WILLIS W. HODGE, b. Nov. 3, 1864.

130. GEORGE E. HODGE, b. June 21, 1866.

131. ELLA HODGE, b. Aug. 30, 1869; m., Jan. 1, 1889, John S. Hoddenott, b. in 1866.

132. HERMAN B. HODGE, b. Jan. 24, 1871; m., Dec. 24, 1891, Adelaide G. Disbrow, b. in 1867; had son b. Jan. 21, 1893.

133. EVA HODGE, b. Sept. 5, 1873; m., July 11, 1892, Lewis L. Chapman, "æ. 24," of S. Glastonbury, Conn.

81. JOHN MURRAY⁶ HODGE (*Reuben⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born April 28, 1844; married (1), May 2, 1866, MARY

E. BEEBE, born Nov. 2, 1846, daughter of Herman K. and Caroline (Crosby) Beebe and sister of the wife of his brother Hiram (No. 80); married (2) PHŒBE WILDMAN, daughter of Hendrick and Eveline (Pearce) Wildman.

One child:

134. MARY or "MAY" HODGE, b. Aug. 17, 1874.

83. AMOS⁶ HODGE (*Reuben³, Thomas⁴, Abel⁵, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born April 4, 1848; married MARY ABIGAIL HOYT, daughter of Asa and Abigail (Barber) Hoyt. Resided at Balls Pond on the old Hodge homestead near Danbury, Conn.

One child:

135. EBER A. HODGE, b. in 1870; m. Grace Clark, b. in 1873; have one child, Amos Hodge, b. Oct. 28, 1893.

86. THADDEUS⁶ HODGE (*Asa⁵, Thaddeus⁴, Abel⁵, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born June 12, 1820; married, Nov. 27, 1842, SARAH BOTSFORD, born Oct. 13, 1825, daughter of Truman Botsford. Mr. Hodge in 1895 had then been blind more than forty years. Resided, at that time, Sherman, Conn.

Three children:

136. ELIZUR A. HODGE, b. Aug. 20, 1843.

137. HOMER D. HODGE, b. Jan. 17, 1847.

138. OLIVE JANE HODGE, b. Nov. 2, 1849.

87. DANIEL H.⁶ HODGE (*Asa⁵, Thaddeus⁴, Abel⁵, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born June 21, 1822; married (1), Nov. 7, 1844, MARY

A. FAIRCHILD, born March 19, 1824, and died May 7, 1871; married (2), March 8, 1874, MARIA FAIRCHILD, born April 12, 1822, sister of the first wife. The first wife was born at Roxbury, Conn., and died at Poughquag, N.Y., while the second wife probably was born at New Milford, Conn. Mr. Hodge in the Civil war was in battle of Gettysburg, at capture of Mobile, and in Red River campaign; residence, Yorktown, N.Y.

One child:

139. REUBEN F. HODGE, b. Oct. 8, 1846; m., Aug. 7, 1868, Frances A. Ganung, b. Aug. 29, 1845, at S. Milltown, Conn.; had son who died in infancy. Res. Brewster, N.Y.

88. THOMAS K.⁵ HODGE (*Asa*³, *Thaddeus*⁴, *Abel*⁵, *Thomas*², *Charles*¹).

Born Nov. 23, 1824; married MARY ANN RITTON, b. Feb. 16, 1827, of Gaylord's Bridge, Conn., who died May 5, 1892. He died Nov. 25, 1889.

Three children:

140. THOMAS S. HODGE, b. March 9, 1848.
 141. ANDREW HODGE, b. April 28, 1850.
 142. CHARLES EDWARD HODGE, b. June 20, 1851.

94. OLIVER P.⁶ HODGE (*Horace*⁵, *Thaddeus*⁴, *Abel*⁵, *Thomas*², *Charles*¹).

Born March 15, 1819; married LOVINA LESSEY, daughter of Alanson and Abigail (Hodge) Lessey. Mr. Hodge and his brother Joshua married sisters. (See Abigail Hodge, No. 55, and Joshua Hodge, No. 96.)

Two children:

143. FRANK HODGE, m. and lives on Staten Island.
 144. SYLVIA ANN HODGE, m. and lives on Staten Island.

95. EDWIN⁶ HODGE (*Horace³, Thaddeus⁴, Abel⁵, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Sept. 20, 1820; married CAROLINE BARNUM, daughter of Gorham and Eliza (Adams) Barnum.

One child:

145. MARY ELIZA HODGE; m. (1) Albert Turner; m. (2) Joseph Turner.

96. JOSHUA⁶ HODGE (*Horace³, Thaddeus⁴, Abel⁵, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Oct. 1, 1823; married SYLVIA LESSEY, daughter of Alanson and Abigail (Hodge) Lessey and sister of the wife of his brother Oliver. (See No. 94.) Residence, Westfield, Richmond Co., N.Y.

Five children:

146. EMMA S. HODGE, b. March 22, 1850; m. a Lent.
 147. MARY E. HODGE, b. Oct. 27, 1851; m. Samuel Hathaway; res. Norwalk, Conn.
 148. LOIS L. HODGE, b. Aug. 17, 1854; m. a Hoyt.
 149. JENNIE A. HODGE, b. Aug. 9, 1862.
 150. HORACE HODGE, b. Jan. 31, 1864.

97. ALEXANDER⁶ HODGE (*Horace³, Thaddeus⁴, Abel⁵, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born July 8, 1828; married, probably in 1857, SUSAN HICKOK, born in 1827. He died May 1, 1864, at Danbury, Conn.

Two children:

151. EVA HODGE, b. November, 1858.
 152. A child, b. abt. 1861.

99. WILLIAM⁶ HODGE (*David⁵, Thaddens⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born about 1820; probably married, Oct. 7, 1841. CAROLINE BIBBEN, born in 1820. Resided first in Danbury; moved to Bridgeport, Conn.

Four children:

- 153. JULIA A. HODGE, b. Jan. 14, 1850, Danbury, Conn.
- 154. A son, b. March 2, 1854, Danbury, Conn.
- 155. CAROLINE HODGE, b. Aug. 17, 1856, Bridgeport, Conn.; d. young.
- 156. A son, b. March 14, 1858, Bridgeport, Conn.

109. ANNA GRACE⁷ HODGE (*Judson A.⁶, Abel⁵, Abel⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born July 24, 1858; married (1), April 1, 1881, BURTON VAN ZANDT, who died Sept. 10, 1889, at North Greenfield, Wis.; married (2), March 22, 1890, LEON POPE, of Waukesha, Wis. Residence, Wyocena, Wis.

Five children:

- 157. MABEL VAN ZANDT, b. Dec. 3, 1883.
- 158. MAY VAN ZANDT, b. June 6, 1886.
- 159. JOHN HODGE POPE, b. March 24, 1891.
- 160. RUFUS LEE POPE, b. July 5, 1893.
- 161. BYRON G. POPE, b. July 12, 1895.

119. REUBEN CALVIN⁷ HODGE (*Norman⁶, Reuben⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Aug. 2, 1841; married, Dec. 4, 1861, RACHEL MARIA OSBORN, born Oct. 8, 1843, daughter of Henry B. and Harriet (Pierce) Osborn. Mr. Hodge died Aug. 9, 1882. Resided Danbury.

Two children:

162. CHARLES AUGUSTUS HODGE, b. Feb. 15, 1866.

163. HARRIET ANN HODGE, b. Dec. 11, 1867.

128. FRANK WILBUR⁷ HODGE (*George W.⁶, Reuben⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born in 1864; married, April 19, 1887, FLORA L. BARNUM, daughter of Hendrick Barnum.

Two children:

164. A son, b. March 13, 1888.

165. A child, b. April 20, 1891.

129. WILLIS W.⁷ HODGE (*Hiram H.⁶, Reuben⁵, Thomas⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Nov. 3, 1864; married, March 2, 1889, ELLA P. FERGUSON.

Two children:

166. A child, b. Aug. 15, 1891.

167. A dau., b. July 6, 1894.

136. ELIZUR A.⁷ HODGE (*Thaddeus⁶, Asa⁵, Thaddeus⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Aug. 20, 1843; married (1) MARIAN ADDELL RIGGS, born April 8, 1846, and died Sept. 28, 1889; married (2), Feb. 12, 1890, LOUISE (BLOOM) SCOWDEN, born July 27, 1855. Mr. Hodge served in the Civil war (see No. 137). Resided Rochester, N.Y.

Four children:

168. GRACE HODGE, b. March 8, 1868; m., Dec. 24, 1889, William Sniffin; had Marian Elizabeth; res. Bridgeport, Conn.

- 169. HENRY A. HODGE, b. Oct. 23, 1870.
- 170. FREDERICK A. HODGE, b. Dec. 2, 1872.
- 171. BESSIE M. HODGE, b. Sept. 20, 1875.

137. HOMER D.¹ HODGE (*Thaddeus⁶, Asa⁵, Thaddeus⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Jan. 17, 1847; married MARY E. PLATT, born Nov. 21, 1844. He was in the Civil war, serving with his brother, Elizur A., in Company K, Second Connecticut Heavy Artillery. At Cold Harbor he was wounded in his right arm and in his hand. Residence, Sault Sainte Marie, Mich.

Five children:

- 172. ED. M. HODGE, b. Dec. 2, 1866.
- 173. FRANK HODGE, b. Jan. 20, 1869.
- 174. ELLA JANE HODGE, b. April 21, 1872; d. Aug., 1872.
- 175. HARRY SIDNEY HODGE, b. Aug. 3, 1874; d. Nov. 24, 1881.
- 176. MARY ADDELL HODGE, b. July 16, 1878.

138. OLIVE JANE⁷ HODGE (*Thaddeus⁶, Asa⁵, Thaddeus⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born Nov. 2, 1849; married (1), May 11, 1869. GEORGE FOWLER, born June 12, 1844; divorced in 1871; married (2), Jan. 25, 1877, CHARLES BYRON WRIGHT, born Feb. 28, 1853. Residence, Put-in-Bay, Ohio. Had one child by first marriage; none by second.

One child:

- 177. GERTRUDE FOWLER, b. March 7, 1870; m., Jan. 1, 1893, Karl Frederick August Arndt; had Maurice Frederick, b. Oct. 15, 1893.

140. THOMAS S.⁷ HODGE (*Thomas K.⁶, Asa⁵, Thaddeus⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born March 9, 1848, New Milford, Conn.; married (1), Jan. 22, 1870, JULIA ISABEL HANCHETT, born Nov. 3, 1853, and died July 31, 1892; daughter of George and Ann Hanchett, of Derby, Conn.; married (2), Jan. 2, 1896, NELLIE SMITH, born Nov. 10, 1867, daughter of Henry and Mary Smith, of Waterbury, Conn. Mr. Hodge is a practising physician at Torrington, Litchfield County, Conn.; has been for five years State medical examiner under State Medical Practice Act, and was lately, 1899, elected to succeed himself for another term of five years. He was admitted to practice in 1882, and has attained a high standing in his profession.

One child:

178. LILLIAN MAY HODGE, b. Sept. 9, 1877, Bridgeport, Conn.; d. Nov. 15, 1899.

141. ANDREW⁷ HODGE (*Thomas K.⁶, Asa⁵, Thaddeus⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born April 28, 1850; married, Sept. 10, 1872, EVA LEONARD, born March 3, 1853. He died Jan. 21, 1889; resided Kent, Litchfield County, Conn., where he carried on a carriage and wagon factory.

Three children; one, a son, died early:

179. NELLIE AGNES HODGE, b. May 3, 1875.
180. BERTIE HODGE, b. May 16, 1880.

142. CHARLES EDWARD⁷ HODGE (*Thomas K.⁶, Asa⁵, Thaddeus⁴, Abel³, Thomas², Charles¹*).

Born June 20, 1857; married, and resides Webatuck, N.Y.

Three children:

- 181. MARY A. HODGE, b. April 20, 1883.
- 182. BELLE HODGE, b. Dec. 18, 1886.
- 183. CHARLES HODGE, b. Feb. 7, 1892; d. same day.

162. CHARLES AUGUSTUS³ HODGE (*Reuben C.¹, Norman², Reuben³, Thomas⁴, Abel⁵, Thomas⁶, Charles¹*).

Born Feb. 15, 1866; married, June 1, 1887, MINNIE BELLE PAYNE, born March 31, 1866, daughter of Hepsa J. Payne. Residence, Danbury, Conn.

Two children:

- 184. RENA MARCALAINE HODGE, b. Nov. 1, 1891.
- 185. NORMAN HODGE, b. Oct. 11, 1893.

THE PHILO HODGE FAMILY.

It is impossible to determine whether or not Philo Hodge was a descendant of Charles Hodge, whose line is traced on preceding pages, or belongs among the descendants of John Hodge, the progenitor, who married Susanna Denslow in 1665. If a descendant of the latter, it is quite probable that William Hodge (No. 75) of that line was his father. Gen. Justin Hodge, of Riverton, Conn., a son of Philo, now eighty-five years of age, is of the opinion his grandfather's name was Daniel, and that he was killed at a place called Compo, near Norwalk, Conn., when the British under General Tryon were returning to New York from Danbury, which they burned April 26, 1778. Mr. Hodge is supposed to have been killed on the 28th, two days later. In a letter the general says:

"My grandfather had two brothers, Chester and Elmer, and three sisters — Statira, who married a man by the name of Gunn, another who married a man by the name of Smith, and the name of the third I do not remember. Chester, one of the brothers, lived in New York. My father had a cousin whose name was Thomas." Going back to William Hodge, it will be seen that William was killed by the British, had two brothers, one of whom died in New York, and that he had a sister, who married a Smith. No record has been found of any Daniel Hodge, living at that time, who could have been the father of Philo, but the date of Philo's birth is quite in keeping with the date of birth of some of the children William is known to have had. Philo was born in 1756, and Eunice, a daughter of William, in 1758. William had other children, among them two sons, whose names have not been determined, nor the dates of their birth. The account given by Mrs. Ames, found under No. 75, of William Hodge, her great-grandfather, certainly corresponds very closely with what General Hodge says of his grandfather, the father of Philo Hodge, now dead more than one hundred and twenty years, and were it not for the fact that the General believes his grandfather's name was Daniel, the evidence might be considered almost conclusive that Philo was the son of William. With these facts stated, the question of Philo's parentage is left for others, nearer connected with the family, to study out, should they be inclined to labor in that direction.

1. PHILO HODGE.

Born Jan. 9, 1756; married (1), Sept. 12, 1778, KETURAH ARMSTRONG, of Washington, Conn., who died 1786-7, in Woodbury, Conn.; married (2), Jan. 1, 1788, LUCY NEW-

TON, born March 29, 1768, and died Jan. 1, 1853; daughter of Lucy (Hollister) Newton, of Washington, Conn. Mr. Hodge died Jan. 30, 1842. He was in the Revolutionary war, from Milford. Under his first enlistment he served one year, commencing January, 1776, Peter Perritt being captain of his company and Charles Webb colonel of his regiment. His second enlistment was for three months, beginning January, 1777. Benjamin Hines was his captain and Thaddeus Cook his colonel. Mr. Hodge also served a few days under Captain Treat at the time of the burning of Danbury in April, 1778. Under Colonel Webb he participated in the battles of Long Island and White Plains, N.Y., and afterwards served at Princeton and Trenton, N.J. While in the service during the Tryon raid, when Danbury was burned, he was wounded at Campo. He became a pensioner under the act of 1818, at which time, June 1, 1818, he resided in Roxbury, Conn., where he died.

The Probate Court records of Norwich, Conn., show that March 29, 1786, James Armstrong, Ruth Armstrong, Samuel Edgerton and wife Ann, all of Washington, Conn., Thomas Armstrong, Jr., Samuel Carr and Olive his wife, Nathan Warner and Lois his wife, Philo Hodge and Keturah his wife, all of Woodbury, Conn., for a "valuable consideration" from Isaac Armstrong, of Woodbury, conveyed all interest in a certain piece of land of William Hunt deceased, grandfather of the said James, Olive, Lois, Thomas, Keturah, Ann, and Ruth, situated in Norwich West Farms, containing about two acres, the same piece of land that was set off to Mary Hunt, daughter of William Hunt deceased.

William Hunt, who evidently was the grandfather of Keturah, the wife of Philo Hodge, died in Norwich, Aug. 16, 1753. His wife's name was Margaret. The children

of Mr. Hunt, as appears in the settlement of the estate, were Isaac, John, Preserved, Hopestill, Sarah, an only daughter, and James and Francis, then deceased. A sister of Mr. Hodge married a Beebe, who for some years carried on a button factory at Waterbury, Conn. A Statira Hodge probably belonging to this family married Alvin Terrill, and had Edward, born Jan. 16, 1820. She died Jan. 30, 1845, "aged 71." Mr. Hodge had by his first wife four children, and by his second wife eleven.

Fifteen children:

2. EUNICE HODGE, b. abt. 1779.
3. LUCRETIA HODGE, b. abt. 1781; married a Hervey; had son Fred. Said to have res. in Edgemont, Mass.
4. CHARLOTTE HODGE, b. abt. 1783.
5. ASENATH HODGE, b. abt. 1785; m. Henry Taylor; had two children, a son James and a dau. who m. a Betts. Betts had a dau. who m. a Smith: res. Danbury, Conn.
6. CHANCEY HODGE, b. July 10, 1791.
7. AMANDA HODGE, b. March 5, 1793; m. (1) Preston Mitchell, of Waterbury, Conn.; had son Lampson P., who m. Dortha Woodford and had Jennie, Willis, and Frank. Jennie m. a Tate and had son and dau.; Amanda m. (2) Daniel Mallett, of Bridgeport, Conn.
8. SAMANTHA HODGE, b. July 8, 1795; m. Judson Stoddard; had dau. Aurelia, who m. a Buell and had dau. Mary, who d. young.
9. LUCY HODGE, b. July 29, 1797.
10. AURELIA HODGE, b. Sept. 3, 1799; d. June 22, 1822.
11. BETSEY (POLLY) HODGE, b. July 13, 1801.
12. SUSAN HODGE, b. July 4, 1806.
13. SARAH HODGE, b. July 4, 1806; m. Cyrus Dunbar; she d. in 1886; no children.
14. STATIRA HODGE, b. April 7, 1809.
15. PHILO NEWTON HODGE, b. Aug. 10, 1811.
16. JUSTIN HODGE, b. April 21, 1815.

6. CHAUNCEY² HODGE (*Philo*¹).

Born July 10, 1791; married, March 22, 1815, RUTH ANN BUNNELL, born Feb. 8, 1798, daughter of Reuben and Sarah Bunnell, of Oxford, Conn. May 10, 1815, after his marriage, his father deeded land to him. In 1842 he represented Roxbury in the Connecticut Legislature; died May 5, 1853.

Two children:

17. CHARLES KOSCIUSCO HODGE, b. Nov. 27, 1819. He was naval cadet in 1838; d. Aug. 31, 1839. The Roxbury cemetery has a monument to his memory erected by his classmates at the Naval School.
18. ALBERT LAFAYETTE HODGE, b. Oct. 15, 1822.

9. LUCY² HODGE (*Philo*¹).

Born July 29, 1797; married DAVID NORTON. Had hoped to learn more of this family, but letters of inquiry have not been answered.

Six children:

19. JOSEPHINE NORTON, m. Jay Dyer; res. Galena, O.
20. HORTENSE NORTON, m. William Dyer; res. Galena, Ohio.
21. ROLAND NORTON.
22. ORLOFF NORTON, killed in late Civil war.
23. ISADORE NORTON, m. Edward Norton; res. Elmira, N.Y.
24. AUGUSTUS NORTON, m. a Curtis.

11. BETSEY² "POLLY" HODGE (*Philo*¹).

Born July 13, 1860; married DARIUS BERTRAM.

Six children:

25. CLARK BERTRAM, d. in the army during the Civil war.
26. ANDREW BERTRAM, m. Emma Suglen; res. Berlin, Conn.
27. WILBUR BERTRAM, m.; served in Civil war; now dead.

28. SARAH BERTRAM, d. aged 11.
29. SYLVESTER BERTRAM, m. the widow of his brother Wilbur.
30. CHAUNCEY BERTRAM, m. prob. Rose Stone, of Berlin, Conn.; had four children: Justin, Belle, Henry, and Ruth.

12. SUSAN² HODGE (*Philo*¹).

Born July 4, 1806; married HIRAM BALDWIN, born April, 1800, and died in 1863, son of Joel Baldwin. In 1875 the widow was living at Rocky Hill, Conn.

Four children:

31. MARGARET BALDWIN, d. aged two years.
32. THEODORE BALDWIN, d. aged seventeen years.
33. GEORGE BALDWIN, d. aged four years.
34. SARAH D. BALDWIN, b. Nov. 4, 1845; graduated at Mount Holyoke Seminary; a successful teacher. In 1875 was living with her mother at Rocky Hill, Conn.

14. STATIRA² HODGE (*Philo*¹).

Born April 7, 1809; married, Aug. 16, 1831, BOGARDUS BEARDSLEY, who died many years since. In 1898 Mrs. Beardsley was residing at 72 Edwards street, Hartford, Conn., honored as the daughter of a Revolutionary soldier and respected as a woman of culture and intelligence.

One child:

35. JULIA ADELAIDE BEARDSLEY, b. Nov. 8, 1839.

15. PHILO NEWTON² HODGE (*Philo*¹).

Born Aug. 10, 1811; married SALLY SMITH, born Dec. 20, 1806, at Newton, Conn., daughter of James and Sally

(Leavenworth) Smith. He lived to be quite an old man and was helpless many years; resided Roxbury, Conn.

Three children:

- 36. ROBERT BRUCE HODGE, b. Dec. 25, 1836.
- 37. ELLEN HODGE, b. March 5, 1843; m., Jan., 1865, Charles Squires; had son b. in 1870; the mother died same year.
- 38. CHARLES HODGE, b. Nov. 12, 1844; d. Oct. 30, 1860.

16. JUSTIN² HODGE (*Philo*¹).

Born April 21, 1815; married, Aug. 16, 1838, LUCIA HEWITT, daughter of Joshua and Polly (Williams) Hewitt, of Winsted, Conn. Mr. Hodge was an officer in the army during the Mexican war, serving from April 9, 1847, to May 6, 1848. He was also in the Civil war, first as a captain. In August, 1861, he was made assistant quartermaster-general and had devolved upon him large responsibilities. He was a very efficient officer and is well spoken of in the army reports. General Hodge, the hero of two wars, is now residing at Riverton, Conn., enjoying a fair degree of health, glad at all times to entertain his friends.

One child:

- 39. KOSCIUSCO HODGE, b. Oct. 3, 1839; m., Oct., 1867, Abby Maria Woodward, b. Sept. 21, 1847; had Albert, b. Aug., 1869, and Ernest Waldo, b. Aug. 12, 1873.

18. ALBERT LAFAYETTE² HODGE (*Chauncey*², *Philo*¹).

Born Oct. 15, 1822; married, Oct. 25, 1846, JANE E. WELLS, born Sept. 15, 1823, daughter of Philip, Jr., and Nancy (Watson) Wells, of New Milford, Conn. Mr.

Hodge has been a colonel in the Connecticut militia, representative in the State Legislature, and held other positions of trust. In 1897 he was residing in Roxbury, Conn., greatly respected by a large circle of friends. In 1896 he and his estimable wife celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding, at which time there was a large gathering of relatives and friends at his pleasant home.

Two children:

40. ELIZABETH JOSEPHINE HODGE, b. Nov. 20, 1853; m., Dec. 20, 1886, Dr. L. J. Pons, b. Dec. 20, 1859; have Adelaide Jane, b. Oct. 8, 1893.
41. CHARLES WATSON HODGE, b. Feb. 7, 1856; unm.; has been a member of the State Legislature and held other public positions.

35. J. ADELAIDE² BEARDSLEY (*Statira*², *Philo*¹).

Born Nov. 8, 1839; married, in 1858, CHARLES CHURCH, of Hartford, Conn. Residence, Hartford.

Three children:

42. HERBERT B. CHURCH, b. March 4, 1861; m. Jennie Chalker; had Marguerite, b. Sept. 30, 1884, and Frederick C., b. Feb. 11, 1893.
43. GRACE ADELAIDE CHURCH, b. March 5, 1865; m. E. B. Stevens; had Margery, b. Sept. 21, 1887.
44. CLARENCE W. CHURCH, b. Nov. 9, 1866; m. Cornelia Ely, who d. Oct. 24, 1892; had Lelia, b. Oct. 13, 1892.

36. ROBERT BRUCE³ HODGE (*Philo N.*², *Philo*¹).

Born Dec. 25, 1836; married, October, 1859, SARAH JANE BARNES, born 1836. He died Oct. 11, 1892; resided Roxbury, Conn.

Three children:

45. WALLACE HODGE, b. Sept. 15, 1862; d. April 25, 1889.
46. WILLARD HODGE, b. July 9, 1865; m., Dec. 9, 1891, Jane Dickinson, of Bethel, Conn.
47. BURTON HODGE, b. June 3, 1869; m., Jan. 7, 1892, Mary E. Odell.

THE NICHOLAS HODGE FAMILY.

1. NICHOLAS HODGE.

According to the best information obtainable, and family tradition, emigrated to this country in 1653, from Northumberland County, the most northerly county in England, and settled at Rye (then called Little Harbor), N.H. Rye is a small place on the Atlantic coast, southeast from Portsmouth. He married SEABORN, daughter of Richard and Margaret (Raynell) TUCKER. Mr. Tucker was one of the first settlers of Portland, Me., and is supposed to have come from Stogumber, a little coast town of Somersetshire, Eng., where in St. Mary's Church is a record saying that a Richard Tucker was baptized Jan. 22, 1594. Margaret Tucker, widow of Richard Tucker, living on Sagamore creek, Portsmouth, "then an old lady," Jan. 16, 1681, conveyed to Nicholas Hodge, "her grandson," certain land in Portsmouth. This Nicholas, no doubt, was the son of Nicholas Hodge, Sr. In 1742 Michael Hodge, son of the second Nicholas, a mariner living at Salisbury, Mass., a coast town south of Portsmouth, deeded land to Phineas Jones, husband of Ann Hodge, his daughter, of Portsmouth, and in the conveyance mentions that he is the "only representative of Richard Tucker." Tradition says

of the elder Nicholas Hodge, that he lived to the age of one hundred and twelve years, and that a short time before his death he rode with his wife, on horseback, several miles to a neighboring town. Mr. Hodge was the father of one son and perhaps other children. Nicholas was the name of this son. Nicholas Hodge, Jr., had a son Michael, whose line is here traced :

3. MICHAEL³ HODGE (*Nicholas², Nicholas¹*).

Born probably about 1680; married JOANNA TITCOMB, daughter of William and Anne (Cottle) Titcomb. Mr. Hodge was a seafaring man. In 1742 he deeded land "on the Neck, near Casco Bay," to his son-in-law Phineas Jones. He had a home in Salisbury, Mass., near the Maine boundary; died in 1752, "aged 73," perhaps at Newburyport, Mass., where he was buried.

Seven children :

4. ANNE HODGE, b. Oct. 16, 1713.
5. CHARLES HODGE, b. Aug. 20, 1716.
6. NICHOLAS HODGE, b. May 20, 1719; unm.; d. 1743.
7. MICHAEL HODGE, b. Oct. 5, 1721; d. early.
8. JOANNA HODGE, m. prob. April 2, 1743, Jonathan Beck,
b. March 27, 1721, son of Joshua and Abigail (Daniels)
Beck.
9. ELIZABETH HODGE, b. March, 1729.
10. MICHAEL HODGE, b. Feb. 20, 1732.

4. ANNE HODGE⁴ (*Michael³, Nicholas², Nicholas¹*).

Born Oct. 10, 1713; married (1), about 1738, PHINEAS JONES, who died in 1743; married (2) JABEZ FOX. She died June 9, 1758. The family lived at Falmouth, Mass., now part of Cumberland County, Me. Mr. Jones made his will Nov. 1, 1743, which was entered for probate November

29 following. His estate was valued at over £8782. He named as executrix and executors his wife, his "well-beloved brother-in-law, Nicholas Hodge," and his "dear friend, Joshua Freeman." This brother-in-law graduated at Harvard in 1739. He taught grammar school on the "Neck" at Portsmouth in 1734, and again in 1737, "while preparing for University." He preached in 1743 for the Reverend Mr. Smith, pastor of a church at Portsmouth, and died same year, immediately after his brother-in-law Jones, who had named him as one of his executors.

June 7, 1758, two days before her death, the widow, who had married Mr. Fox, made her will, and by it bequeathed to her children by her first husband, who had been well provided for by their father, only her household furniture, and to her children by Fox all the property she inherited from her father, Michael Hodge. Lucy Jones, a daughter by her first husband, was named as an executrix, and Stephen Longfellow as an executor. (See Maine Wills, pages 481-3, 829-30.) There were three children by Jones and two by Fox.

Five children:

11. HANNAH JONES, b. about 1739; m. Col. John Waite, of Falmouth, Me.
12. LUCY JONES, b. about 1741; m. (1), July 10, 1758, Rev. Thomas Smith; m. (2), in 1778, Richard Derby; m. (3) Judge Greenleaf, of Newburyport, Mass.
13. ANN JONES, b. in 1742; m., July 10, 1758, Richard Codman; had Richard and Ann; she d. Mar. 31, 1761.
14. JOHN FOX, married, and had children.
15. MARY FOX, m. Edward Oxnard. (In the old cemetery, Newburyport, among Hodge burials, is a gravestone to the memory of Sally Fox, a girl from Portland, who died at Newburyport while there on a visit.)

10. MICHAEL⁴ HODGE (*Michael*³, *Nicholas*², *Nicholas*¹).

Born Feb. 20, 1732, in Salisbury, Mass.; married ("intention," Aug. 2, 1760), at Salisbury, SUSANNA WARNER, of Ipswich, born Jan. 27, 1738, and died Sept. 7, 1793. He died 1776. After his death the widow lived in Ipswich, Mass.

Four children:

16. WILLIAM HODGE, b. July 24, 1761; d. Sept. 21, 1761.
17. JAMES HODGE, b. Dec. 1, 1763.
18. NATHANIEL HODGE, b. Jan. 23, 1765; d. Feb. 7, 1791;
one record says b. "June 3."
19. WILLIAM HODGE, b. May 23, 1767; d. July 30, 1788.

17. JAMES⁵ HODGE (*Michael*⁴, *Michael*³, *Nicholas*², *Nicholas*¹).

Born Dec. 1, 1763, at Salisbury; married. Nov. 30, 1793, MARTHA HEARD, of Ipswich, born Sept. 10, 1770, and died April 26, 1823, at Newburyport, Mass. He died May 22, 1847.

Nine children:

20. NATHANIEL HODGE, b. Oct. 1, 1794.
21. SUSAN HODGE, b. April 25, 1796; d. March 20, 1811.
22. MARY HODGE, b. May 2, 1799; d. Aug. 14, 1813.
23. JAMES HODGE, b. Sept. 20, 1802; d. Sept. 11, 1803.
24. WILLIAM JAMES HODGE, b. June 8, 1804.
25. LUCY BALCH HODGE, b. April 23, 1807; d. Oct. 3, 1820.
26. MARTHA PERKINS HODGE, b. June 13, 1809; m. July, 1830, Jonathan Nayson, of Amesbury, Mass. She d. Nov. 10, 1883.
27. JOHN HODGE, b. June 8, 1811; m. Harriet E. —, who survived her husband and afterwards resided on Concord street, Haverhill, Mass. He d. March 29, 1884.
28. CHARLES MICHAEL HODGE, b. Sept. 2, 1816.

20. NATHANIEL⁶ HODGE (*James⁵, Michael⁴, Michael³, Nicholas², Nicholas¹*).

Born Oct. 1, 1794; married, April 18, 1822, HANNAH BARTLETT. He died Aug. 20, 1859. Resided Newburyport, Mass.

Three children:

- 29. SUSAN HEARD HODGE, b. Dec. 22, 1824.
- 30. LUCY ANN HODGE, b. Oct. 7, 1826.
- 31. CHARLES HODGE, b. Nov. 9, 1828.

24. WILLIAM JAMES⁶ HODGE (*James⁵, Michael⁴, Michael³, Nicholas², Nicholas¹*).

Born June 8, 1804; married, May 8, 1828, SARAH BURRILL, of Newburyport. He died Oct. 19, 1875.

One child:

- 32. SARAH ELIZABETH HODGE, b. Nov. 13, 1829.

28. CHARLES MICHAEL⁶ HODGE (*James⁵, Michael⁴, Michael³, Nicholas², Nicholas¹*).

Born Sept. 2, 1816; married, Oct. 14, 1845, CAROLINE ANNIE BUCKMINSTER WILLIAMS, born April 27, 1823, and died Feb. 13, 1894. He died Feb. 6, 1894. Mr. Hodge had considerable literary talent and was a great reader. Resided Tremont street, Boston.

Two children:

- 33. ANNIE LOUISE HODGE, b. March 30, 1856; in 1895 unm., and lived in California.
- 34. EFFIE CAROLINE HODGE, b. Aug. 30, 1857; m., Feb. 5, 1885, Warren Thomas Currier, b. Nov. 29, 1857, son of Warren and Isadore Lucinda (Balch) Currier. Res., in 1898, 590 Tremont St., Boston, Mass. No children.

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OTHER PROBABLE DESCENDANTS OF NICHOLAS HODGE.

The descendants of Nicholas Hodge, of Rye, N.H., 1653, are many and live chiefly in Maine, New Hampshire, and Massachusetts.

On preceding pages the line has been traced from the progenitor to his descendants now living. Besides those mentioned, a large number of others have come to our notice who evidently belong in this Hodge tree, but their connection is not clearly established; they are here given a place, however, with a view to assisting, perhaps in some degree, the future genealogist of this family.

1. MICHAEL HODGE.

Born probably about 1743; married SARAH —, of whom nothing has been learned. This is supposed to be the Michael Hodge who, May 6, 1776, was "sworn in," as the record says, clerk of Newburyport, Mass., and who under act of Congress, passed November, 1776, was commissioned a captain in the navy. If so, he was collector of customs at Newburyport about that time, the office then being under the navy department. Local history speaks of the captain as being a prominent man in the community. Michael Hodge, born Sept. 9, 1750, may have been his son.

Three children:

2. SARAH HODGE, b. Nov. 15, 1770; m., 1801 (notice of intention to m. pub. May 7), Abner Bayley, of Portland, N.H.

3. ELIZABETH HODGE, b. April 2, 1772; d. Feb. 8, 1773.
4. JOHN SEWELL HODGE, b. July 1, 1776; m., April 2, 1801, Abigail Johnson, of Newburyport, Mass. A widow Abigail Hodge, perhaps widow of this John, m., Nov. 17, 1806, Capt. Paul Simpson.

1. CHARLES HODGE.

Had for wife ELIZABETH, but date of marriage has not been ascertained. There appear to have been two men living about the same time, each of whom was called Capt. Charles Hodge. To designate them apart one was sometimes called the "original Capt. Charles," who no doubt was the elder of the two. Have no knowledge as to whether Charles who married Elizabeth, as above stated, was or was not one of these captains, but there is a fair presumption that he was. Perhaps this was the Charles Hodge who, according to a Probate Record, had sisters Betsey, Nancy, and Mary, and brother John who died at sea, and another brother who lived in Plymouth, Mass.

Four children:

2. NICHOLAS HODGE, d. May 17, 1807.
3. ELIZABETH HODGE, m. Capt. William Friend. She d. Jan. 8, 1812.
4. ANN HODGE, unm.; d. May 25, 1812.
5. LUCY HODGE, b. April 6, 1760.

5. LUCY² HODGE (*Charles*¹).

Born April 6, 1760; married, Nov. 27, 1783, DANIEL BALCH, born March 1, 1761, son of Daniel and Hannah (Clemmons) Balch, of Newburyport. She died Dec. 27, 1797, after which he married Martha Tarbox. He died Oct. 13, 1835, at Newburyport.

Six children:

6. HANNAH BALCH, b. Oct. 14, 1784; married a Hudson; she d. March 20, 1828, having had eight children, the youngest of whom, Sarah Hodge Hudson, b. Nov. 14, 1823, d. Oct. 29, 1856.
7. ELIZABETH BALCH, b. March 18, 1786; d. Oct. 17, 1873.
8. CHARLES HODGE BALCH, b. Oct. 29, 1787; d. Nov. 18, 1852.
9. DANIEL BALCH, b. June 16, 1790; d. Nov. 17, 1858.
10. WILLIAM BALCH, b. May 12, 1793; d. June 13, 1794.
11. WILLIAM BALCH, b. July 20, 1795; d. June 26, 1886.

1. ANN HODGE.

Born 1769; married (1) a HOVEY; married (2), July 26, 1803, THOMAS HUTCHINSON BALCH, born July 7, 1771, and died June 28, 1817. Balch was a brother of Daniel Balch, who married Lucy Hodge (No. 5 next preceding). Ann was Balch's second wife. She died April 14, 1818.

1. MICHAEL HODGE.

Born Sept. 9, 1780; perhaps a son of Michael Hodge, first mentioned on a foregoing page under "Other Probable Descendants of Nicholas Hodge;" married (1), March 21, 1805, MARY JOHNSON, daughter of Captain Nicholas and Mary Johnson. She died Sept. 29, 1810; married (2) (notice published Oct. 29, 1814), at Newburyport, Mass., BETSEY HAYWARD ELIOT, widow of Daniel Robert Eliot, of Savannah, Ga., and daughter of Dr. James and Susanna Thatcher. Mr. Hodge died July 6, 1816. He is probably the Michael Hodge who graduated at Harvard in 1799. He was called "Captain," probably belonging to the militia.

One child:

2. JAMES THATCHER HODGE, b. March 12, 1816.

2. JAMES THATCHER² HODGE (*Michael*¹).

Born March 12, 1816, Plymouth, Mass.; married, Feb. 3, 1846, MARY SPOONER, daughter of John and Deborah (Russell) Spooner. Mr. Hodge was a geologist. His grandfather, Dr. James Thatcher, graduated at Harvard in 1736, and was the author of a "Medical History of the Revolutionary War." Mr. Hodge was lost on steamer "R. G. Coburn," on Lake Superior, Oct. 15, 1871.

Four children:

3. ELIZABETH THATCHER HODGE, b. Nov. 7, 1846.
4. JOHN RUSSELL HODGE, b. Nov. 25, 1847.
5. JAMES MICHAEL HODGE, b. April 3, 1850.
6. MARY HODGE, b. Dec. 17, 1854.

4. JOHN RUSSELL² HODGE (*James T.*², *Michael*¹).

Born Nov. 25, 1847; married HARRIET B. EVANS, daughter of Seth Evans. Mr. Hodge was a manufacturer. Resided Atlanta, Ga., but died at Plymouth, Mass., April 12, 1890, the place of his birth.

Two children:

7. SETH EVANS HODGE, b. Sept. 30, 1882.
8. JAMES THATCHER HODGE, b. Jan. 15, 1887.

From Newburyport Records.

STEPHEN SEWELL HODGE, b. July 27, 1790, Newburyport, Mass.

ALICE HODGE, m., Sept. 25, 1803, Jacob Chase, Jr., Newburyport, Mass.

MARY HODGE, m., Sept. 5, 1779, John Wollet, Newburyport, Mass.

CHARLES HODGE, b. abt. 1790; m., December, 1805, Lydia White, Portsmouth, N.H.

JOHN HODGE, OF KITTERY, ME.

[Kittery is situated on the Atlantic coast, just north of Portsmouth, N.H., southeast from Dover, where the United States Government now maintains a navy yard.]

The land records of Kittery show that March 1, 1674-5, a deed was witnessed by "John Hodg." As he could not be a witness to a deed unless, at the time, he was of age, it is safe to conclude that Mr. Hodge was born certainly prior to 1653, and more than likely some years earlier. He may have been a brother of or some way related to the elder Nicholas Hodge, who settled at Rye, in 1653, not far from Kittery.

The fact that Mr. Hodg witnessed a deed is all that is known of him. It is known, however, that there sprang from Kittery, about the time of signing this deed, or soon after, a family by the name of Hodge. William Hodge, who lived in that locality, must have been born as early as 1681.

His will was entered for probate May 29, 1776, and it is on record that at the time of his death he was ninety-five years and seven months old. He was the son of James Hodge, and therefore, if a descendant of the above John, was probably a grandson. Samuel Hodge, as will hereafter be seen, lived in that vicinity and there had children. There was also another Samuel Hodge living there, and neither of these men would seem from the records to have been the father of the other.

It is to be hoped that in the near future some descendant of this Kittery Hodge family may complete the work on this line here begun.

1. SAMUEL HODGE.

Born in 1708, as calculated by age given at the date of his death, which took place March 19, 1787; says the record, "aged 79." In 1738 Mr. Hodge was a "shop-keeper" at Dover, N.H., and in 1759 was called a "trader."

His wife's name was ELIZABETH, and he was probably married in 1737. May 17, 1738, he and his wife join in deeding land to Samuel Varney, of Dover, land bought of Paul Gerrish, who in the deed is called "gentleman." Dec. 1, 1759, Mr. Hodge and his wife deed land to Otis Baker. April 27, 1769, land is deeded to the same person, but Mr. Hodge alone signs the deed, from which it may be inferred the wife at that time was dead.

Feb. 16, 1767, a Samuel Hodge was received into the First Church, at Dover. Whether this was Samuel the father, or Samuel his son, then twenty-seven years of age, the record does not show.

Four children:

2. ELIZABETH HODGE, bap. May 21, 1738.
3. SAMUEL HODGE, bap. Jan. 27, 1740.
4. ANN HODGE, bap. Nov. 28, 1742.

3. SAMUEL² HODGE (*Samuel*¹).

Baptized Jan. 27, 1740; married, July 7, 1767, HANNAH GERRISH. Sept. 16, 1767, he and his wife join in deed of land to Paul Brewster. Nov. 24, 1772, he sold land in Dover to James Calef for £13.10. Feb. 23, 1775, he bought land in Rochester, a town adjoining Dover. March 5, 1779, he sold land in Dover to Peter Hodgdon. His will bears date Oct. 30, 1780, and in it he mentions his wife, whom he names as executrix, a son William, a

minor child of his son Samuel, and a daughter Elizabeth. March 4, 1781, an inventory was taken on the estate.

A church record at Dover shows that a William Hodge, probably the son of Samuel, was baptized March 10, 1771. Another record says a child of William Hodge died Aug. 22, 1794, aged seven years. There was a Mary Hodge received into the church at Dover, Dec. 21, 1771.

Three children:

5. SAMUEL HODGE, m. and had son Samuel.
 6. ELIZABETH HODGE, m. William Wells.
 7. WILLIAM HODGE. See mention made above.
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1. SAMUEL HODGE (of Kittery, Me.).

Probably born about 1735; married, 1760, BETSEY HILL, of Portsmouth. Residence, Dover, N.H. He died in 1776, while on a trip to Spain. In an old deed his son is called Samuel "Tertius," — the third, — so there were in the family certainly three generations by the name of Samuel. The relationship between this Samuel and the preceding family has not been determined, but that they both belonged to the Kittery-Dover branch there is little doubt. The first child, as will be seen below, was named John, perhaps so called in honor of John, the early settler of Kittery, who may have been an ancestor, as seems quite possible.

Four children:

2. JOHN HODGE, b. Aug. 9, 1762.
3. SAMUEL HODGE, b. April 9, 1769.
4. BETSEY HODGE, b. Aug. 9, 1773; married James Hacket, of Brookfield, N.H.; had four children — Amelia, Hannah, Samuel, and Eliza.
5. HIRAM HODGE, b. Jan. 25, 1776; m. probably a woman

whose first name was Betsey. April 5, 1813, he deeded land in Dover; afterwards settled in Ossipee, N.H., north of Dover, where he raised a large family. A son, Samuel, a few years ago, was living on the old home farm.

2. JOHN² HODGE (*Samuel*¹).

Born Aug. 9, 1762; married, 1790, MARY STEVENS, of Portsmouth, N.H., who died, aged 95. He died November, 1850, "aged 88." At the age of 16 Mr. Hodge went into marine service in the Revolutionary war. He was taken a prisoner while serving on a privateer and confined in Dartmoor prison, Eng.; exchanged.

Three children:

6. JOHN HODGE, b. June 10, 1792.
7. JAMES HODGE, b. June 10, 1798.
8. MARY HODGE, b. Nov. 13, 1800.

3. SAMUEL² HODGE (*Samuel*¹).

Born April 9, 1769; married HANNAH ANDREWS, of Hillsborough, N.H., daughter of Isaac and Lucy (Perkins) Andrews, of Ipswich, Mass. She died April 4, 1836. He was a harness-maker. In 1790 he moved from Kittery to Francestown, in the same State, where he was a justice of the peace and postmaster many years; a man highly respected. He died Dec. 27, 1852.

Twelve children:

9. SAMUEL HODGE, b. Sept. 17, 1792; d. May 10, 1806.
10. PERKINS HODGE, b. Feb. 9, 1795; m. Rebecca Pinkerton, of Derby, N.H.; a merchant; d. March 14, 1837, at Sartartia, Miss.
11. BETSEY HODGE, b. March 19, 1797; m. Capt. James Martin; d. May, 1835, at Francestown, N.H.

12. JAMES H. HODGE, b. April 19, 1799; m. Mary Brown, of Providence, R.I. He d. April 21, 1840, at which time he was a merchant in Franklin, Mo. History of Francestown says of him, "Father of Thomas, who once lived here."
13. LEVI WOODBURY HODGE, b. Sept. 19, 1801.
14. HANNAH HODGE, b. March 15, 1804; d. Sept. 27, 1850.
15. SAMUEL HODGE, b. July 7, 1806; d. April 9, 1808.
16. GEORGE W. HODGE, b. Dec. 20, 1809; m. Charlotte Kimball, of Nashua, N.H., res., Minneapolis, Minn.
17. SOPHIA A. HODGE, b. March 26, 1812; d. Sept. 7, 1848.
18. FREDERICK W. HODGE, b. Dec. 4, 1814; d. Oct. 18, 1835, at Sartartia, Miss., where he was a merchant.
19. SAMUEL BELL HODGE, b. Feb. 8, 1818.
20. MEHITABEL B. HODGE, b. Oct. 31, 1820; m., Nov. 25, 1849, George A. Hanscom, of Milford, and there d., Oct. 3, 1858.

6. JOHN² HODGE (*John², Samuel¹*).

Born June 10, 1792; married RHODA YOUNG. Resided at Newmarket, N.H., where he died in 1872, "aged 80." Mrs. Hodge was administratrix on his estate, and Nov. 13, 1872, filed her account with the court.

Five children:

21. THOMAS HODGE, m. three times; res., Boston, Mass.
22. DRUSILLA HODGE, m. Smith Pike, of Milton, N.H.
23. MARY HODGE, b. 1830; d. 1895, in Chicago, Ill. [In 1892 there was a Mary E. Hodge living at 439 Shawmut avenue, Boston, Mass., who said she was the dau. of John Hodge, of Newmarket, N.H., and that Samuel Hodge, of Francestown, N.H., a "saddler, or harness-maker, by trade," was her grandfather.]
24. JOSEPH HODGE, d. "aged 20."
25. MARTHA HODGE, unm.; res. Boston, Mass.

7. JAMES² HODGE (*John², Samuel¹*).

Born June 10, 1798; married, 1828, LUCRETIA NEAL, of Brookfield, N.H.; could obtain no information as to where the family ever resided.

Four children:

- 26. JOHN HODGE, b. Sept. 10, 1829.
- 27. WILLIAM HODGE, b. April 16, 1832; d. June 12, 1865;
a Wisconsin lumberman.
- 28. MARY C. HODGE, b. Jan. 18, 1834.
- 29. CASSANDA HODGE, b. July 16, 1842.

8. MARY³ HODGE (*John², Samuel¹*).

Born Nov. 13, 1800; married (1) JAMES FERNOLD, who died in 1850; married (2) SAMUEL SAWYER, of Bridgton, Me. In 1896 she was a widow, and though nearly ninety-six years old, enjoying a fair degree of health. Resided Bridgton, Me. Her children were all by her first husband.

Eight children:

- 30. JOHN FERNOLD.
- 31. JAMES FERNOLD.
- 32. MARK FERNOLD.
- 33. GEORGE FERNOLD.
- 34. CHARLES FERNOLD.
- 35. JOAN FERNOLD.
- 36. BRACKETT F. FERNOLD.
- 37. HENRY FERNOLD.

13. LEVI WOODBURY³ HODGE (*Samuel², Samuel¹*).

Born Sept. 19, 1801; married, Oct. 14, 1833, MARY LONGLEY BROWN, born Feb. 16, 1808, of Westmoreland, N.H. Mr. Hodge was a trunk manufacturer. Resided Nashua, N.H.

Seven children:

38. MARIETTA HODGE, b. Sept. 14, 1834.
39. FREDERICK WILLIAM HODGE, b. April 15, 1836; d. Sept. 26, 1888.
40. FRANCES ELLEN HODGE, b. May 15, 1839; unm.; res. Nashua, N.H.
41. MARIA JOSEPHINE HODGE, b. Feb. 24, 1842.
42. LUCRETIA SOPHIA HODGE, b. July 23, 1844.
43. WILLIAM HENRY HODGE, b. May 19, 1847; d. June 28, 1850.
44. ELLEN BROWN HODGE, b. May 7, 1849; d. Sept. 21, 1851.

19. SAMUEL BELL³ HODGE (*Samuel², Samuel¹*).

Born Feb. 8, 1818; married, June 24, 1846, LUCRETIA GUILD, born Nov. 27, 1818, daughter of Daniel and Betsey (Whipple) Guild, of New Boston, N.H. Mr. Hodge served as a member of the Maine Legislature, as a justice of the peace, and postmaster of the village where he resided.

One child:

45. FREDERICK AUGUSTUS HODGE, b. Aug. 18, 1850; m., Nov. 11, 1884, Carrie E. Webster, of Clorinda, Ia. Res. Pine City, Pike Co., Minn., where he has been county auditor many years, and in 1894 was elected to the State Senate.

26. JOHN⁴ HODGE (*James³, John², Samuel¹*).

Born Sept. 10, 1829; married (1), Jan. 28, 1853, PHEBE MERRICK, who died Feb. 22, 1891; married (2) NELLIE DAME, a widow, of Jackson, N.H.

One child:

46. JAMES H. HODGE, b. June 11, 1854; m., Sept., 1876,

Catherine Andrews ; have Emma A., b. Aug. 17, 1877, and John. b. Jan. 31, 1886. Emma A. m., May 30, 1896, Frederick Littlefield.

28. MARY C.⁴ HODGE (*James³, John², Samuel¹*).

Born Jan. 18, 1834; married, Feb. 18, 1859, JONATHAN M. PITMAN, born Aug. 19, 1814, and died Oct. 30, 1896. Mrs. Pitman, in 1898, was still living. Resided Hubbardston, Vt.

Four children:

47. GEORGIA A. PITMAN, b. Dec. 16, 1859; m., Sept. 28, 1881, Charles S. Chandler, of Chatham; had Lucretia P., b. Aug. 4, 1887, and Harry M., b. Sept. 16, 1889.
48. MARY A. PITMAN, b. July 5, 1862; m., June 18, 1882, Steven D. Meserve, of Jackson; had Claude P., b. June 8, 1883, and Blanch L., b. July 1, 1886.
49. LUCRETIA H. PITMAN, b. Oct. 17, 1863; m., Nov. 28, 1883, Wellington P. Chandler; no children.
50. WILLIAM H. PITMAN, b. Dec. 19, 1864; unm.

29. CASSANDA N.⁴ HODGE (*James³, John², Samuel¹*).

Born July 16, 1842; married, August, 1867, BENJAMIN F. GUPTILL; residence, Stowe, Me. No dates of births given.

Five children:

51. JAMES GUPTILL.
52. CORA GUPTILL.
53. EMMA GUPTILL.
54. MAMIE GUPTILL.
55. WALLACE GUPTILL.

OTHER HODGES IN NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND.

There appear to have been a large number of persons of the name Hodge who in colonial days lived in Maine and New Hampshire, mostly along the seacoast. Many of them were mariners. Research has not connected them by any certain line with those now living. Such facts as are here given may interest others, who will draw their own conclusions.

Mr. Benjamin N. Goodale, of Saco, Me., whose wife is a descendant of Henry Hodge of Pownalborough, Me., is endeavoring to trace out some of the lines, and it is hoped he will be aided by all who feel an interest in Hodge family history.

In Lincoln County, Me., in the towns of Newcastle, Sheepscot, Edgeconibe, Pownalborough, Alna, Perkins, Dresden, and Wiscasset, the four latter towns originally a part of Pownalborough, there appear to have resided in early days a large number of persons by the name of Hodge (Pownalborough was the shiretown in the county, and took its name from Gen. Thomas Pownall). Who may have been the progenitor or progenitors of those who lived in this section, bearing the Hodge name, certainly is a matter of much doubt.

ROBERT HODGE.

According to the early records of Salem, Mass., married, June 22, 1665, MARY PITMAN, daughter of Nathaniel and Tabitha Pitman, of Salem. Mr. Hodge died, as shown by settlement of his estate, at Salem, between April 28 and Dec. 14, 1685. His widow, Aug. 15, 1689, married John Brewer. She was baptized June 5, 1680, and on the

twelfth, one week later, all of her children were baptized. The church record at Salem has them all entered as Hodges, but when the children were married, except in the case of one daughter, they were all called Hodge, which there is little doubt was the true name.

Seven children:

1. MARY HODGE, b. March 10, 1665/6; prob. m., Sept. 10, 1688, Richard Presson (perhaps Preston).
2. SARAH HODGE, b. Feb. 19, 1667/8 [Sept. 16, 1694, there was a Sarah Hodge bap. at the Old South Church, Boston, Mass.].
3. TABITHA HODGE, b. January, 1669/70; m., Jan. 8, 1701, John Ruggles.
4. HANNAH HODGE, b. Sept. 23, 1672; m., prob. Aug. 11, 1699, Thomas Lamere, of Plymouth, Mass.
5. ELIZABETH HODGE, b. Sept. 15, 1674; m., prob. Nov. 28, 1700, William White, of Boston.
6. ROBERT HODGE, b. Jan. 25, 1676/7.
7. BETHIAH HODGE, b. Oct. 23, 1678; m., July 5, 1698, John Paine, of Boston, Rev. Cotton Mather officiating.

ROBERT HODGE.

Came from Southold, Long Island Aug. 17, 1763, and gave at Boston an account of the capture of New York City by the Dutch. (See Force's "American Archives.")

ROBERT HODGE.

Master of a "brigantine" called the "Philadelphia, of Philadelphia, Pa.;" Nov. 10, 1684, went before a justice of the peace at "Portsmouth in the Province of New Hampshire, and became bound in the sum of £500, not to carry any person out of the Province, but such persons whose names should be entered at the secretary's office." [Were not the two Robert Hodges here last mentioned one and the same person?]

ROBERT HODGE.

About the year 1731, located at Sheepscot, Lincoln County, Me. May 25, 1750, James, Robert, Henry, and William Hodge, and James Hodge, Jr., signed a petition at Sheepscot to have certain land incorporated into the town.

It is possible, and perhaps probable, that these men came to this country at the time of the so-called Scotch-Irish emigration, 1731-4. William Hodge, probably the one above mentioned, May 14, 1754, being charged with some offence, was remanded to the church at Newcastle, near Sheepscot, where he belonged, to give satisfaction, "as soon as the church," at Newcastle, "should be organized." Robert Hodge, who appears to have been the leading member of this family, July 31, 1754, was one of a committee who reported at a town meeting that a clergyman had been given a call to preach at Sheepscot. In 1755 both Robert and William Hodge were officers of the town.

March, 1759, Robert Hodge was appointed on a committee to secure a minister for that year. June 5, 1765, he made an affidavit in regard to a land title. The testimony was taken with a view to preserving the same in *perpetuam rei memorium*. In the affidavit he says, "I came to Sheepscot, so called, about the year 1731." The language of the affidavit warrants the belief that when Mr. Hodge located at Sheepscot he was of mature age. "The History of Ancient Sheepscot and Newcastle," by Upson, says, "Robert Hodge came from Ireland, and died at the advanced age of one hundred and one years." It is further stated in this work that Mr. Hodge was a large landholder; that he lost his faculties before he died, and that his nephew, Robert Hodge, who kept a tavern, acquired

nearly all his property. In 1790 assistance was asked for the support of "old Mr. Robert Hodge, and his cow was sold to part pay expenses." This old man who was helped by the town may have been the Robert Hodge, once "a large land-holder," whose property was nearly all "acquired" by his nephew. This nephew was an innholder in Sheepscot in 1774, and one of the selectmen of the town in 1775. May 8, 1776, he is mentioned as captain of the First Company, Third Regiment, Lincoln County Militia. His son, Robert, Jr., at the same time was captain of the Second Company in the same regiment. The work from which most of the above facts were gathered says, "Captain Hodge owned two of Tappan's ten-acre lots" (probably the two his uncle Robert owned which the captain "acquired" some years previous), on which were "two flankers." The Indians once made an attack on Mr. Hodge's house, and from behind one of these flankers—rocks—fired at the inmates. When Mr. Hodge died, an inventory of his property showed that he owned two slaves, "Caesar and Phillis, a boy and a girl."

ROBERT HODGE (of Pownalborough).

Probably son of the elder Robert; is supposed to have died in 1788, as his will was entered for probate October 15 of that year. Dec. 27, 1791, Henry Hodge, of Pownalborough, a brother of Robert, was appointed guardian to Sarah, Henry, and Robert, minor children of the deceased. Jane, Hannah, and Sally, three other minor children, also chose guardians. A division of the estate was made Oct. 1, 1793, and in the division the following children are mentioned:

Eight children :

1. "POLLY" HODGE, m., 1791, Spencer Tinkham.
2. MARGARET HODGE, m., 1793, Henry Roby.
3. HANNAH HODGE, m., 1793, Abiel Wood, Jr.
4. SARAH ("SALLY") HODGE, m. her cousin, Henry Hodge;
d. June 8, 1823, aged 45 years.
5. ROBERT HODGE, b. abt. 1780.
6. HENRY HODGE, b. abt. 1783.
7. SARAH HODGE, m., 1801, Joseph T. Woods.
8. JANE ("JENNY") HODGE, m., 1803, Thomas Nichols.

HENRY HODGE.

Born 1734; m. SARAH —, born 1736, and died July 27, 1806. He died Aug. 27, 1798; a brother of Robert Hodge, Jr., who died at Pownalborough in 1788. The brothers must have been sons of the elder Robert, who came from Ireland. Henry took great interest in the children of his deceased brother, Robert, and four of the six daughters were married at his house. Sept. 10, 1777, Colonel North, as says an old record, "called on an alarm in defending and retaking the mast-ship loading in Sheepscot river." Mr. Hodge was one of those who responded to the "alarm." He served as a private in Captain Scott's company. The object of the expedition was attained. April 7, 1788, at an election in Lincoln County, Mr. Hodge "received fifty-four votes for County Treasurer, and no votes were cast for any other person." He is probably the Henry Hodge who with Abiel Wood, father of Abiel Wood, Jr., who married Robert Hodge's daughter Hannah, in 1792, built the first church in Wiscasset, and placed in it a bell "said to have been cast in Boston." A division of the dower interest of Mrs. Hodge, who died some eight years after her husband, as appears of record,

makes mention of the following persons, who are supposed to have been her children :

Eight children :

1. JOHN HODGE.
2. JAMES HODGE., m., in 1805, Sarah Cunningham.
3. MARY HODGE., m. Orchard Cook. Mrs. Benjamin N. Goodale, of Saco, Me., is a descendant.
4. HENRY HODGE, m. prob. his cousin, Sally Hodge.
5. MARGARET HODGE, b. 1760; m., Oct. 13, 1781, Joseph Carleton, grandfather of Gen. Joseph Carleton, of N.Y. City. She d. April 18, 1832, Rockfield, Me.
6. WILLIAM HODGE.
7. SAMUEL HODGE.
8. SARAH HODGE.

WILLIAM HODGE (of Edgecombe, near Sheepscot, Me.).

There is little doubt that this William was a brother of Robert and Henry Hodge, mentioned on the preceding pages. He died May 29, 1786. Mary, his widow, was appointed administratrix of his estate. The will of Mr. Hodge mentions three sons and six daughters. The Probate record, in speaking of one of the sons, John, says, "Absent out of this Commonwealth in parts beyond sea." In 1897 there was an Edward Hodge living in Edgecombe, a descendant of William and Mary Hodge, no doubt the William Hodge who died in 1786, whose wife's name was Mary.

Nine children :

1. JAMES HODGE.
2. JOHN HODGE.
3. WILLIAM HODGE.
4. JANE HODGE : m. a Kennedy.
5. JENNET HODGE : m. an Osborn.
6. ALICE ("ALLIS") HODGE : m. a Trask.

7. SARAH HODGE; m. a Kennedy.
8. ELIZABETH HODGE; m. Jonathan Trask.
9. ANNA HODGE.

9. ANNA HODGE.

Daughter of William Hodge, of Edgecombe, one of the five Hodge petitioners mentioned as settlers at Sheepscot, Me., in 1750; married, probably in 1773. BENJAMIN WOODBRIDGE, born in 1738, son of Benjamin and Susanna (Tappan) Woodbridge. He died Sept. 17, 1817, "aged 80," Alna, Me. In early life Mr. Woodbridge moved from Newbury, Mass., to Newcastle, Me., where he settled. He was in public life many years. Benjamin Woodbridge, probably the elder, Jan. 23, 1769, was one of the men appointed to inventory the estate of Samuel Hodge, which amounted to £213:4:6.; Henry Hodge was administrator.

Ten children:

10. SUSANNA WOODBRIDGE, b. May 28, 1774; m. James Erskine.
11. MARY WOODBRIDGE, b. Dec. 16, 1775; m. Joseph Plummer.
12. SARAH F. WOODBRIDGE, b. Sept. 27, 1777; m. James Follansbee.
13. ANNA WOODBRIDGE, b. Sept. 18, 1779; m. Thomas Chase.
14. ELIZABETH WOODBRIDGE, b. April 27, 1782; m. William Clifford.
15. BENJAMIN WOODBRIDGE, b. Sept. 9, 1784; m. Sarah Simpson.
16. JANE WOODBRIDGE, b. Oct. 17, 1787; m. Jotham Donnel.
17. HODGE WOODBRIDGE, b. Jan. 16, 1790; m. Elizabeth Simpson.
18. RUTH WOODBRIDGE, b. April 17, 1792; m. John Clifford.
19. HENRY WOODBRIDGE, b. March 18, 1795; m. Elizabeth Kennedy.

JAMES HODGE (of Pownalborough).

Probably one of the five Hodge petitioners who in 1750 asked to have certain land incorporated into the town of Sheepscot. Quite likely he was the "James, Jr.," and the one who served in the Revolutionary war under Captain Scott. Oct. 11, 1800, he made an affidavit in regard to certain lands concerning which Robert Hodge, in 1765, had testified, as appears on a former page. Says Mr. Hodge in his affidavit, "About sixty-three or four years ago my father came into the eastern country and settled at a place called Newcastle, about three miles from any inhabitants, where I lived with my father five or six years." He further states what Benjamin Woodbridge told him in regard to the matter in dispute forty-four years previous.

In 1781 there was a James Hodge serving in the Revolutionary war, in a company commanded by Captain Wendall, of Lincoln County. Perhaps this is the James who served in the war under Captain Scott, as heretofore mentioned.

There was a James Hodge who lived at Alna, perhaps the James of Pownalborough, who later in life had changed his residence. No doubt he was of the Sheepscot-Newcastle Hodge family, and perhaps was one of the original Hodge settlers at Sheepscot, not unlikely the "James, Jr." He had two sons, William and James, and several daughters. One of them, Mary, married, June 5, 1785, John Boyd, and another, Susan, married, Jan. 8, 1794, a Kennedy.

WILLIAM² HODGE (*James¹*).

Born June 14, 1772, at Alna, Me.; married, Sept. 3, 1794, MARY ("POLLY") AVERILL. He died 1869.

Mrs. Charles E. White, of Lynn, Mass., is a grandchild of Mr. Hodge, she being the daughter of William Hodge, Jr.

Seven children:

1. SARAH HODGE, b. March 4, 1796; lived to the age of 91; m. (1) a Barrett; m. (2) Dr. John Hubbard, of Hallowell, Me., who was governor of Maine three terms, 1850-3. She had three children by each husband, one of whom is Mrs. Edward Boston, of Richmond, Me.
2. MARGARET HODGE.
3. NANCY HODGE.
4. MARY HODGE.
5. JAMES HODGE, b. Sept. 2, 1804.
6. SUSAN HODGE.
7. WILLIAM HODGE, b. June 24, 1809.

5. JAMES³ HODGE (*William², James¹*).

Born Sept. 2, 1804; married (1), 1834, MARY ANN MORSE, b. March 10, 1810, and died before 1847, daughter of Calvin and Mary (Mitchell) Morse; married (2), Sept. 4, 1847 (one record says Nov. 24, 1846), SARAH RICE, born June 25, 1816, at Union, Me., daughter of Nathan Drury and Sarah (Bannister) Rice. She died Aug. 5, 1857; one child by each wife.

Two children:

8. ELIZABETH ANN HODGE, b. April 8, 1835; m., Aug. 2, 1857, at Washington, Me., John Ripley Sprague, b. July 2, 1832, son of William and Eliza (Ripley) Sprague; no children; res. E. Jefferson, Me.
9. SARAH MARIA HODGE, b. Dec. 2, 1849, Washington, Me.; unm.; res. Union, Me.

7. WILLIAM³ HODGE (*William², James¹*).

Born June 24, 1809; married CAROLINE PAYSON MERRILL, born April 17, 1817, at Cape Elizabeth, Me.;

daughter of Rev. Josiah G. and Harriet (Jones) Merrill, of Washington, Me. She died Jan. 20, 1883, at Washington. Mr. Hodge died June 9, 1885, at Lynn, Mass., probably at the residence of one of his daughters.

He was a farmer at Washington, where all his children were born.

Eight children:

10. EDWARD PAYSON HODGE, b. April, 1845; served in Civil war, Com. C, Fifteenth Regiment Maine Volunteers.
11. CAROLINE AUGUSTA HODGE, b. April 10, 1848; m. Franklin Daniel Speed; res., 1893, Lynn, Mass.
12. HARRIET ALICE HODGE, b. January, 1850; unm.; d. Dec. 24, 1866.
13. MARY LUCRETIA HODGE, b. Nov. 6, 1851; m. Herbert F. Hill; res., 1893, Beloit, Wis.
14. FLORENCE HELENA HODGE, b. December, 1854; d. November, 1869.
15. WILLIAM HENRY HODGE, b. June, 1858; d. June, 1863.
16. HENRIETTA ELIZABETH HODGE, b. June 13, 1863; unm.; res., 1893, Lynn, Mass.
17. NELLIE FRANCES HODGE, b. June 18, 1865; m. Charles Elmer White; res. in 1893, 28 Hamilton avenue, Lynn, Mass.

“CAPT. JOHN HODGE.”

Says the “History of Ancient Sheepscot,” “owner of the sloop ‘Three Brothers;’ in June, 1775, sailed into Boston harbor with a cargo, and sold it to the British, for which he was taken to task by a committee of Newcastle (Me.) men.

“Robert Hodge, Jr., a near kinsman of the captain, said some things about Congress and the committee not agreeable to the latter, whereupon Mr. Hodge was made to sign a paper recanting and ‘pledging support to the general cause.’”

The captain and his “near kinsman,” a cousin, belonged

to the Newcastle-Sheepscot Hodge family. This family, notwithstanding the sale of some goods to the British by Capt. John Hodge, at the beginning of the struggle, at a later date furnished men for the war, and did its full share of work in the great cause of American Independence. There was not a Tory among them.

It is related how, at an early day, a Mrs. Hodge owned a farm in Edgecomb and another in Sheepscot, which were separated by Dyer's river; that the cows of Mrs. Hodge were pastured on Dyer's neck, and that after dark some one person in a quiet way paddled across the river to milk them, being afraid to go in the daytime on account of the Indians. Mrs. Hodge, it is claimed, "took her turn at crossing the river alone, milking the cows, and returning to the garrison."

THE GEORGE HODGE FAMILY.

1. GEORGE HODGE.

Born probably 1728-9. He was brought to this country, as tradition says, when four years old, at the time of the so-called Scotch-Irish emigration, 1731-4.*

* About 1610, after repeated rebellions on the part of the Irish Roman Catholics of Ireland, King James II. of England extinguished the civil rights of the people of Ulster, the northern province of Ireland, by an edict of attainder, and gave about 500,000 acres of the land in the province chiefly to Scotch Presbyterians, under a promise to them of great religious freedom. About 1700, under Queen Anne, the people complained that their religious rights were greatly interfered with, and they began to emigrate to America. The chief exodus took place in 1733, when these Scotch-Irish came over in great numbers.

Whether young George came over with his parents or was brought by some kind friend is unknown, but as no record has been found of any parents, or person of his name, living where he spent his boyhood days, it is presumed that he was an orphan. Mary Hodge, probably a daughter of George, married, before 1763, Robert Wilson, of Petersboro', N.H., and had seven children, the eldest of whom, a daughter, was accidentally killed. The two elder sons were graduates of Harvard and became members of Congress. All the children apparently married well, and their progeny is now numerous. A granddaughter married John Scott Harrison, son of the first President Harrison.

Mr. Hodge for many years resided in Northampton, Mass., where in 1757 (one record says 1755) he married JANE QUESTION, of Boston, born 1734, "on shipboard," and died March 29, 1814, aged "80 years." Mr. Hodge, Oct. 6, 1767, with others, contributed for purchase of land in Northampton, upon which to build a courthouse, for which there was paid £130. After many years spent in Northampton he moved to Hadley, in that State, where he died Dec. 18, 1808. He was a tailor by trade, but notwithstanding his humble calling rose to be a man of importance in the community, gained wealth, educated his children, and died greatly respected. Mr. Hodge certainly had three sons, one dying without having married. The other two married, had large families, and their descendants are numerous.

Three children :

2. WILLIAM HODGE, b. Sept. 30, 1758.
3. JOHN HODGE, b. Oct. 19, 1760.
4. GEORGE HODGE, b. March 18, 1763 ; d. unm.

2. WILLIAM² HODGE (*George*¹).

Born Sept. 30, 1758; married, Dec. 22, 1785, AMANDA HOPKINS, born Dec. 6, 1763, Springfield; granddaughter of Rev. Samuel Hopkins, by wife Esther Edwards, who was a sister of the famous Rev. Jonathan Edwards. Mr. Hodge died March 22, 1812, Hadley, Mass., and his widow died July 28, 1828, at the same place. Mrs. Henriette M. Plunkett, of Pittsfield, Mass., a granddaughter of Mr. Hodge, in a letter written a few years since says, "My grandfather, William Hodge, was a tailor, as was his father, but when I look at what he accomplished I realize that a good trade in those days was a substantial possession. He cared for his numerous family of children, built a good home, and left a comfortable estate. I am proud to say that the first money he felt that he could spare he invested in books — 'The Spectator,' 'The Tatler,' and the ponderous 'Whole Duty to Man,' — which I now have in my possession."

Twelve children:

5. GEORGE HODGE, b. Oct. 14, 1786; m., in 1810, Elizabeth Tryon, b. March 18, 1787, of South Deerfield, Mass. He d. June 1, 1826.
6. WILLIAM HODGE, b. April 9, 1788; m., in 1814, Cynthia Cross.
7. EMILY HODGE, b. Feb. 7, 1790; m., 1809, Zebina Tryon, of Hadley.
8. TIMOTHY HODGE, b. Dec. 31, 1791; d. Jan. 13, 1793.
9. CHARLES HODGE, b. Aug. 23, 1793; d. March 12, 1815.
10. MARY HODGE, b. April 25, 1795; m., 1813, Joshua Guilford, Guilford, Vt.
11. HENRY HODGE, b. April 13, 1797.
12. ROBERT WILSON HODGE, b. Dec. 13, 1799; m., Jan. 18, 1824, Sarah Weld; res., Manlius, Onondaga Co., N.Y.
13. GILES HODGE, b. April 29, 1801; d. Oct. 18, 1820.

14. ANNA HODGE, b. Oct. 20, 1803; d. Sept. 24, 1804.
15. HANNAH HOPKINS HODGE, b. March 25, 1807; m., Sept., 1828, Rev. James Bishop Wilcox.
16. ESTHER EDWARDS HODGE, b. Oct. 10, 1808; m., 1830, Edwin S. Adams, of Manlius, N.Y.
(Timothy Hawkins, March 17, 1813, was appointed guardian to Giles, Hannah, and Esther, minor children. See probate records, Northampton, Mass.)

3. JOHN² HODGE (*George*¹).

Born Oct. 19, 1760; married, March 19, 1789, SARAH DICKINSON, of Hadley, Mass., who died in June, 1844, aged "77 years and 10 months." He died March 6, 1840. Mr. Hodge, by trade, was a goldsmith. The Northampton, Mass., records show that Aug. 23, 1813, John Hodge and Moses Porter sold land of the estate of William Hodge. Mr. Hodge had eleven children, three of whom died young. The order of births of the children has not been ascertained, but are given as deemed probably correct. A son was born in April, 1790, another in 1791, and another child in 1793. The other eight children were born as here given.

Eight children:

17. SARAH DICKINSON HODGE, b. in 1794; became the second wife of Gordon Gould. She d. Jan. 19, 1867.
18. BENJAMIN HODGE, b. March 1, 1796.
19. HARRIET HODGE, b. abt. 1798; m., Dec. 2, 1824, Leander Merrick, b. May 29, 1799, and d. May 24, 1856; son of Dr. Caleb and Charlotte (Noble) Merrick. Resided in Willington, and also Franklin, Conn.; had eight children, two of whom were Harriet, b. March 13, 1831, and Leander, b. Dec. 27, 1845.
20. ELIZA HODGE, b. in 1801; d. May 3, 1859, "aged 58 years."

21. SAMUEL HODGE, b. in 1803; d. Aug. 29, 1832, of consumption.
22. CYNTHIA HODGE, b. prob. 1805; d. Feb. 13, 1834.
23. LAURA JANE HODGE, b. prob. 1807; d. March 3, 1821.
24. JULIA ANN HODGE, b. in 1809; d. Sept. 24, 1863.

11. HENRY² HODGE (*William², George¹*).

Born April 13, 1797; married, Nov. 23, 1823, ELIZA NASH, of Hadley, Mass., daughter of John Nash; she died before her husband. He died Nov. 22, 1865, "a widower."

Six children:

25. MARY GUILFORD HODGE, b. Sept. 27, 1824; d. July 26, 1826.
26. HARRIETTE MERRICK HODGE, b. Feb. 6, 1826.
27. LEICESTER PORTER HODGE, b. Feb. 2, 1828; graduate Amherst College, 1850; d. March 28, 1851, Athens, O.
28. ELIZABETH HERVEY HODGE, b. July 16, 1831; d. May 2, 1833.
29. LEPHA NASH HODGE, b. Oct. 22, 1833; d. Oct. 25, 1835.
30. WILLIAM HENRY HODGE, b. July 24, 1841; m., May 14, 1885. Mrs. Jessie Maxwell (Blackman) Hailey, Nashville, Tenn. Residence, New York City, N.Y.

18. BENJAMIN² HODGE (*John², George¹*).

Born March 1, 1796; married, May 20, 1820, ADELINE CALLANDAR, born March 6, 1806, and died Dec. 31, 1891. He died Aug. 10, 1870.

Seven children:

31. CHARLES DICKENSON HODGE, b. Nov. 15, 1826.
32. JAMES WILSON HODGE, b. July 3, 1828.
33. HARRIET MERRICK HODGE, b. Feb. 22, 1830; m., June 20, 1849, Francis A. Pierce, b. 1823. She d. Sept. 6, 1856; had Harriet A., Charles S., and Frank M.

34. ELIZA ANN HODGE, b. May 10, 1832; m., May 7, 1858, Francis A. Pierce, the husband of her deceased sister, Harriet; had dau. Adeline.
35. SAMUEL HODGE, b. Sept. 20, 1835; unm. in 1897.
36. SARAH GOULD HODGE, b. March 1, 1837.
37. SUSAN ADELINE HODGE, b. Nov. 21, 1839; m., May 11, 1869, George Mortimer Gardner, b. 1840; had George Benjamin, b. Sept. 21, 1872.
38. MARY JANE HODGE, b. Jan. 12, 1842.

26. HARRIETTE MERRICK⁴ HODGE (*Henry³, William², George¹*).

Born Feb. 6, 1826; married, Oct. 7, 1847, THOMAS F. PLUNKETT, of Pittsfield, Mass. Mr. Plunkett served in Congress and for a number of years was prominent in politics. Mrs. Plunkett has been a leader among women in literary and benevolent work. The writer is indebted to her for much valuable information relating to this "George Hodge family." Residence, Pittsfield, Mass.

Five children:

39. HARRIET EMILY PLUNKETT, b. Oct. 10, 1848.
40. HELEN EDWARDS PLUNKETT, b. Jan. 4, 1850.
41. LYMAN CLAPP PLUNKETT, b. July 10, 1854; d. Nov. 20, 1855.
42. EDWARD LEICESTER PLUNKETT, b. July 6, 1856; d. Jan. 10, 1890.
43. MARGARET PLUNKETT, b. May 15, 1867; d. July 13, 1869.

31. CHARLES DICKENSON⁴ HODGE (*Benjamin³, John², George¹*).

Born Nov. 15, 1826; married, June 10, 1846, CATHARINE NASH. He died Oct. 22 (town record says 26), 1873.

Eight children:

44. ALMIRA C. HODGE, b. Jan. 15, 1850.
45. CHARLES SILAS HODGE, b. Oct. 2, 1852.
46. LEICESTER PORTER HODGE, b. Feb., 1857; d. March 31, 1858.
47. FRANK B. HODGE, b. Dec. 9, 1858.
48. MARY H. HODGE, b. Oct. 4, 1860.
49. A son, b. Jan., 1862.
50. HARRY EUGENE HODGE, b. May 6, 1867.
51. BESSIE GARDNER HODGE, b. Feb. 4, 1869; d. July 18, 1870.

32. JAMES WILSON⁴ HODGE (*Benjamin³, John², George¹*).

Born July 8, 1828; married, Oct. 19, 1853, EMILY MARIA HUNT, born April 6, 1831. He died Nov. 8, 1885. Resided Hadley, Mass.

One child:

52. CARRIE REBECCA HODGE, b. 1862; m., Oct. 25, 1883, Newton D. Russell, b. 1862, son of Dwight and Laurietta (Kneeland) Russell, of Amherst, Mass.; had four children, Mabel, Leila, Howard, and Gladys H., b. April 20, 1896.

38. MARY JANE⁴ HODGE (*Benjamin³, John², George¹*).

Born Jan. 12, 1842; married (1), Oct. 22, 1872, HENRY F. HOOKER, born 1832, and died Dec. 3, 1878; married (2), September, 1881, GEORGE WILLSON, who died soon thereafter; married (3), May 12, 1885, PLINY B. PARSONS, of Enfield, Conn. Had by (1) husband a daughter and perhaps had other children.

One child:

53. SUSAN ELIZABETH HOOKER, b. March 16, 1877.

40. HELEN EDWARDS⁵ PLUNKETT (*Henriette M.⁴, Henry³, William², George¹*).

Born Jan. 4, 1850; married, Nov. 26, 1876, JAMES WELLS HULL.

Five children:

- 54. HELEN EDWARDS HULL, b. Nov. 3, 1877.
- 55. ROSAMOND HULL, b. April 29, 1879.
- 56. NORMAN CHURCHILL HULL, b. Aug. 5, 1881.
- 57. EDWARD BOLTSWOOD HULL, b. Feb. 3, 1884.
- 58. CAROLYN KELLOGG HULL, b. Sept. 19, 1891.

THE PHILADELPHIA HODGE FAMILY.

1. WILLIAM HODGE.

Born in the north of Ireland, probably of Scotch origin, and there died Jan. 4, 1723. Had wife MARGARET. He had six children, five sons and a daughter. Two of the sons, the daughter, and the mother died prior to 1730, when the remaining sons, William, Andrew, and Hugh, came to America and settled in Philadelphia, Penn. Among the descendants there have been a large number of doctors and clergymen.

In the struggle for American independence the family took a prominent part. One, William Hodge, at the time a prominent Philadelphia merchant, signed the so-called "non-importation act;" another of the family, Hugh Hodge, was a surgeon in the army during the war which followed. Rev. George Woolsey, Charles, Hugh Bayard, and Thomas L. J. Hodge, of Pennsylvania, are now members of the Society of Sons of the American Revolution, by right as descendants of Dr. Hugh Hodge. (See No. 12.) It is

hoped that some descendant in this line, with better facilities for obtaining facts in regard to this family than the writer, will follow up the work here commenced, presenting a more complete genealogical tree.

Three children:

2. WILLIAM HODGE, per. had dau. who in 1757 m. William West; prob. the William Hodge who, Oct. 25, 1765, signed the "non-importation agreement."
3. ANDREW HODGE, b. March 28, 1711.
4. HUGH HODGE.

3. ANDREW² HODGE (*William*¹).

Born March 28, 1711; married, 1731, JANE McCULLOCH. April 15, 1779, Andrew Hodge, of Philadelphia, probably this Andrew, was part owner of the "Revenge Cutter," Captain Conynham, master. Feb. 11, 1779, "young Mr. Hodge" sent arms from Mr. Hodge's wharf to Capt. Mitchell's galley, "for safety." (See pages 319 and 190, Vol. VII., Penn. Archives.) Mr. Hodge, tradition says, had fifteen children, but the names of eight only have been ascertained. Among those whose names have not been obtained was a daughter.

Nine children:

5. MARGARET HODGE, named after her grandmother; m., before 1760, Col. John Bayard, b. Aug. 11, 1738, in Maryland. He was prob. of the firm of Hodge & Bayard of Philadelphia, who furnished arms for the Continental Army. He d. Jan. 7, 1807; had eight children.
6. AGNES HODGE, m. James Ashton, who d. July 29, 1760.
7. A dau., m. a Philips.
8. MARY HODGE, m. Maj. Samuel Hodgdon; was his second wife. The major was commissary general of the Continental Army.

- 9. JOHN HODGE, d. "aged 23."
- 10. WILLIAM HODGE, d. "aged 30."
- 11. ANDREW HODGE, b. April, 1753.
- 12. HUGH HODGE, b. Aug. 20, 1755.
- 13. JAMES HODGE, d. unm.

4. HUGH² HODGE (*William*¹).

Married HANNAH HARKUM, born Jan., 1721, daughter of John Harkum; died Dec. 17, 1805. She was called "Aunt Hannah" by a large circle of acquaintances. Stephen's Philadelphia Directory of 1796 has "Hannah Hodge, widow, residence, 67 Market street."

One child:

- 14. HUGH HODGE, b. as supposed, Sept., 1743; graduated at college in 1773; sailed for Europe and never afterwards heard from.

11. ANDREW³ HODGE (*Andrew*², *William*¹).

Born April, 1753; married, Sept. 6, 1781, ANN LEDYARD, born Dec. 14, 1757, and died Nov. 8, 1848. He died May 10, 1835. The marriage took place in Philadelphia, the same day the bride's half brother, Col. William Ledyard, was killed at Fort Groton, or Griswold, Conn., where he was in command. After a fierce engagement the fort capitulated to the British. Colonel Ledyard in surrendering presented his sword to the British commander, who, taking it, immediately ran it through the body of the colonel.

Seven children:

- 15. JAMES LEDYARD HODGE, b. April 18, 1784. He was United States Consul at Marseilles, France; d. Feb. 4, 1870, unm.

16. JANE HODGE, b. February, 1786; m., in 1810, Robert H. Rose, of Montrose, Pa., who d. February, 1842.
17. WILLIAM LEDYARD HODGE, b. Jan. 14, 1790.
18. JAMES HODGE, b. November, 1791.
19. ANNIE MARIA HODGE, b. November, 1794; m. Austin L. Sands, of New York, b. Dec. 31, 1779, and d. May 19, 1819. She, in 1875, was still living.
20. ANDREW HODGE, b. 1797; d. August, 1856, unm. A record says that about this time there was an Andrew Hodge, a planter, in New Orleans, La.
21. HUGH AUSTIN HODGE, b. in 1800; a New York City Directory, 1832-5, says a Hugh A. Hodge was living at that time in that city, on South street.

12. HUGH³ HODGE (*Andrew². William¹*).

Born Aug. 20, 1755; married MARY BLANCHARD, born 1765, and died April, 1832. He died July 14, 1798. Feb. 7, 1776, he was surgeon of the Third Pennsylvania Battalion, serving in the Revolutionary war. He was taken a prisoner at Fort Washington, when the fort was captured by the British, Nov. 16, 1776. He stood high in his profession, and special efforts were made to obtain his release. After the war he is supposed to have lived in Boston, Mass., but in 1796, two years before his death, he resided in Philadelphia, Penn., at 91 Water street.

It is said he had five children, three of whom died young, but the names of only two children have been ascertained.

Two children:

22. HUGH LENOX HODGE, b. June 27, 1796.
23. CHARLES HODGE, b. Dec. 28, 1797.

17. WILLIAM LEDYARD⁴ HODGE (*Andrew³, Andrew², William¹*).

Born Jan. 14, 1790; married, May 14, 1822, SARAH P. BAYARD, daughter of Andrew Bayard, of Philadelphia, Penn. She was alive in 1875.

Mr. Hodge was assistant secretary of the United States treasury under President Taylor. He died Jan. 22, 1868.

22. HUGH LENOX⁴ HODGE (*Hugh³, Andrew², William¹*).

Born June 27, 1796; married, Nov. 12, 1828, MARGARET E. ASPINWALL, b. Sept. 16, 1804, d. Feb. 26, 1873; daughter of John and Susan (Howland) Aspinwall, of New York City. He graduated at Princeton; was a physician in 1832, when the cholera epidemic reached Philadelphia, and was one of thirteen physicians who served without pay until the epidemic subsided in that city. The City Council and Board of Health of Philadelphia presented each of these physicians a silver pitcher.

Seven children:

30. CHARLES BLANCHARD HODGE, b. Sept. 2, 1829; d. March 16, 1838.
31. JOHN ASPINWALL HODGE, b. Aug. 12, 1831.
32. JAMES BAYARD HODGE, b. Dec. 12, 1833; d. Dec., 1850.
33. HUGH LENOX HODGE, b. July 31, 1836.
34. WILLIAM HENRY HODGE, b. June 14, 1838; married, April 13, 1871, Alice Cogswell Weld, b. Dec. 4, 1834, dau. of Lewis and Mary A. C. Weld. Res. Phila., Pa.
35. EDWARD BLANCHARD HODGE, b. Feb. 5, 1841.
36. GEORGE WOOLSEY HODGE, b. May 20, 1845.

23. CHARLES⁴ HODGE (*Hugh³, Andrew², William¹*).

Born Dec. 28, 1797; married (1), June, 1822, SARAH

BACHE, born 1798, and died Dec. 25, 1849, daughter of William and Catharine (Wistar) Bache and great-granddaughter of Benjamin Franklin; married (2) MARY (HUNTER) STOCKTON, widow of Samuel Witham Stockton, United States Navy. Mr. Hodge was a D.D., and wrote many works on theology, which have been considered standard authorities on the subjects treated. He died June 19, 1878, at Princeton, N.J. (See American Cyclopaedia.)

It is said he had eight children, three of whom probably died young, as no mention of them has been found.

Five children:

- ~~40. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN HODGE, b. abt. 1821.~~
41. ARCHIBALD ALEXANDER HODGE, b. July 18, 1823.
42. CHARLES HODGE, m. Martha Gray Janeway, b. Nov. 27, 1833, dau. of Rev. Thomas Leiper and Abigail Blackwood (Howell) Janeway, and granddaughter of Joshua Ladd Howell; had seven children. Thomas Leiper Janeway, a Pennsylvania S.A.R., is probably one of them.
43. FRANCIS BLANCHARD HODGE, b. Oct. 24, 1838; a D.D. at Princeton College, Princeton, N.J.
44. CASPAR WISTAR HODGE, m. (1). June 4, 1863, Harriet Terry, b. September, 1839, and d. April, 1864; m. (2) Mary Stockton, of Princeton, N.J., dau. of Samuel Witham and Mary (Hunter) Stockton, the dau. of his stepmother.

31. JOHN ASPINWALL⁵ HODGE (*Hugh L.⁴, Hugh³, Andrew², William¹*).

Born Aug. 12, 1831; married, May 14, 1857, perhaps, CHARLOTTE GIPHARD MORSE, born May 28, 1833, daughter of Samuel Colgate and Edith (Hall) Morse. (See Morse Gen.) Another authority says he married a daughter of Richard Carey and Louisa (Davis) Morse.

Richard was a brother of Prof. Samuel F. B. Morse, the great American electrician.

Five children:

50. JAMES BAYARD HODGE, b. July 19, 1859; d. Sept. 21, 1860.
51. JOHN ASPINWALL HODGE, b. March 9, 1861.
52. HUGH LENOX HODGE, b. May 25, 1864; m., Oct. 18, 1893, Annie Beith, dau. of Gilbert and Annie Beith, of Scotland; no children.
53. RICHARD MORSE HODGE, b. May 25, 1864; twin brother of above.
54. SAMUEL COLGATE HODGE, b. April 28, 1867; prob. m., May 12, 1896, Elizabeth Mellen.

33. HUGH LENOX⁵ HODGE (*Hugh L.⁴, Hugh³, Andrew², William¹*).

Born July 31, 1836; married, Jan. 7, 1869, HARRIET ROOSEVELT WOOLSEY, sixth daughter of Charles William and Jane Eliza (Newton) Woolsey. Mr. Hodge graduated at Princeton College, which was the "Alma Mater" of so many members of this family.

Two children:

56. HUGH LENOX HODGE, b. May 10, 1873; d. June 10, 1881.
57. JANE WOOLSEY HODGE, b. Feb. 13, 1875; d. at birth.

35. EDWARD BLANCHARD⁵ HODGE (*Hugh L.⁴, Hugh³, Andrew², William¹*).

Born Feb. 5, 1841; married ALICE VAN RENSSELAER, eldest daughter of Rev. Cortlandt and Katherine Van Rensselaer.

Four children:

60. MARGARET ELIZABETH HODGE, b. March 26, 1869.
61. CORTLANDT VAN RENSSELAER HODGE, b. July 1, 1872.

62. EDWARD BLANCHARD HODGE, b. Aug. 21, 1875.
 63. KATHERINE C. HODGE, b. March 20, 1878.

36. GEORGE WOOLSEY⁵ HODGE (*Hugh L.⁴, Hugh³, Andrew², William¹*).

Born May 20, 1845; married MARY DE VAUX POWEL, only daughter of Henry Baring and Catharine (Bayard) Powel, of Philadelphia, Penn.

Six children:

66. CARROLL HODGE, b. Sept. 24, 1874.
 67. HELEN HARRIET HODGE, b. Nov. 21, 1876.
 68. HENRY BARING HODGE, b. Aug. 12, 1878.
 69. MILDRED ASPINWALL HODGE, b. March 24, 1881.
 70. LOUISE BAYARD HODGE, b. Oct. 19, 1883.
 71. MARY CARROLL HODGE, b. Dec. 24, 1887.

40. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁵ HODGE (*Charles⁴, Hugh³, Andrew², William¹*).

Born about 1821; married (1) ANNE CAMBRIDGE; married (2) ELIZABETH HART, a widow.

Three children:

74. EMMA HODGE.
 75. MARY HODGE, d. unm.
 76. CATHARINE WISTAR HODGE.

41. ARCHIBALD ALEXANDER⁵ HODGE (*Charles⁴, Hugh³, Andrew², William¹*).

Born July 18, 1823, Princeton, N.J.; married (1), probably 1847, ELIZABETH B. HOLLIDAY, of Winchester, Va.; married (2) MRS. MARGARET McLAREN WOODS, of Detroit. He graduated at Princeton College, in 1846; in May, 1847, he went as a missionary to India. Three

years later he returned with his wife and two daughters; in 1850 was the pastor of a church at Nottingham, Md.; in 1855 pastor at Fredericksburg, Va., and in 1861 had charge of a church at Wilkesbarre, Penn. Afterwards he became a professor in Alleghany Seminary, Penn., and while there married his second wife. Have no account of children except that two daughters by his first wife survived him. He died Nov. 11, 1886.

51. JOHN ASPINWALL⁶ HODGE (*John A.*⁵, *Hugh L.*⁴, *Hugh*³, *Andrew*², *William*¹).

Born March 9, 1861; married, May 29, 1888, GENEVIEVE KARR, daughter of Rev. William S. and Lucasta Karr.

Three children:

82. CHARLOTTE MORSE HODGE, b. May 25, 1889.

83. LUCASTA KARR HODGE, b. July 6, 1890.

84. KATHERINE ASPINWALL HODGE, b. Jan. 26, 1896.

53. RICHARD MORSE⁶ HODGE (*John A.*⁵, *Hugh L.*⁴, *Hugh*³, *Andrew*², *William*¹).

Born May 25, 1864; married, June 28, 1888, ALICE AUSTEN, born Aug. 16, 1860, daughter of Edward and Mary Austen.

Two children:

87. GENEVIEVE AUSTEN HODGE, b. Sept. 23, 1894.

88. EDWARD AUSTEN HODGE, b. March 30, 1896.

THE NEHEMIAH HODGE FAMILY.

1. NEHEMIAH HODGE.

Came to this country from England, probably between the years 1730-40, and settled in Rhode Island. Little is known of him except that he had a son and a daughter.

Two children:

2. DAVID HODGE, b. prob. 1740-3.
3. SALLY HODGE.

2. DAVID² HODGE (*Nehemiah*¹).

Born prob. 1740-3; whom he married is uncertain. In 1775 he moved from Smithfield, or Cumberland, R.I., to Adams, Mass., where he settled and died.

Seven children:

4. OTIS HODGE, b. 1763.
5. NABLA (prob. ABIGAIL) HODGE, b. abt. 1766; m., August, 1786, David Darling, Jr.; notice of intention to m. given August 16.
6. MOLLY (prob. MARY) HODGE, b. abt. 1768; m., Nov. 9, 1788, William Briggs, of North Adams, Mass.; notice of intention to m. given October 17. Married by Elder Peter Warden.
7. GEORGE HODGE, b. abt. 1770; m., July 1, 1790, Sarah Ives; notice of intention to m. given June 1, and certificate issued June 24.
8. RACHAEL HODGE, b. abt. 1772.
9. NAMAN HODGE, b. abt. 1774; m., 1795, Martha Phillips, of Adams, Mass.; notice of intention to m. given at N. Adams, Sept. 30, 1794, and certificate issued Feb. 4, 1795; res. Steuben, N.Y.

10. NEHEMIAH HODGE, b. abt. 1776; m., Dec. 25, 1797, Rene Ives, of N. Adams, Mass.

4. OTIS³ HODGE (*David*², *Nehemiah*¹).

Born about 1763; married (2), Nov. 29, 1804, PHEBE WESCOT, born in Rhode Island; died Feb. 10, 1853, at which time, she was a "widow aged 76." Mr. Hodge was twelve years of age when his father changed his residence from Rhode Island to Adams, Mass. Name of first wife and date of marriage not obtained. The order here given of the children probably is not in accord with their births.

Ten children:

11. OTIS HODGE, a machinist, unm.; d. July 2, 1849, "aged 59."
12. THOMAS HODGE.
13. AMASA HODGE; m., May, 1824, Cynthia McFarland.
14. WILLIAM HODGE.
15. ROBERT HODGE.
16. AMOS HODGE, had w. Charlotte, and dau. Lucy E., b. 1843, who m., Dec. 29, 1864, H. D. Wood, b. in 1831 in Pittsfield, Mass., son of Isaac and Nancy Wood.
17. ROBA HODGE.
18. NAOMI HODGE. (A. Naomi Hodge m., July 28, 1805, Jeremiah Waterman.)
19. LYDIA HODGE.
20. PHEBE HODGE.
21. NEHEMIAH HODGE; m. (certificate given Nov. 26, 1839), Caroline Fanny Hubbard, of Buckland; had son, Abbott Lawrence Hodge, b. Jan. 5, 1847, who invented a railroad brake. Hudson River R.R. Co. paid him \$3,000 damages for using his patent without authority.

12. THOMAS¹ HODGE (*Otis*², *David*², *Nehemiah*¹).

Born probably about 1798; married (certificate to marry granted Sept. 9, 1820) LYDIA DEAN; had ten children, nine living in 1867; resided in North Adams, Mass.

Ten children :

22. WILLIAM D. HODGE, b. abt. 1822.
23. RUFUS HODGE.
24. MASON HODGE, b. 1827; m., Dec. 1, 1863, Sarah L. Chase, dau. of Jacob and Mary E. Chase; had William M. Hodge, b. July 20, 1865.
25. THOMAS HODGE.
26. ALFRED O. HODGE, b. 1831; m., June 28, 1854, Helen M. Cole, b. 1834, dau. of Russell and Eunice Cole.
27. JOHN HODGE.
28. AMEROSE W. HODGE, b. 1839; m., May, 1863, Sarah E. Boyd, b. 1843, dau. of Rieley and Almira Boyd, of Whitingham, Vt.; had Mina, b. Nov. 13, 1865.
29. HARRIET HODGE, b. 1841; d. May 16, 1852.
30. MARY HODGE.
31. JENETTE HODGE.

22. WILLIAM D.² HODGE (*Thomas⁴, Otis³, David², Nehemiah¹*).

Born about 1822; married, Jan. 7, 1844, ELIZA ANN DREW. Probably had other children.

Three children :

32. HARRIET M. HODGE, b. Oct. 27, 1844.
33. Son, b. Aug. 18, 1852. Per. Edson M., who m. Mary, dau. of Francis F. Colgrove, and had dau. Pauline F., b. Aug. 12, 1880.
34. FRANCIS HODGE, b. Oct. 4, 1853.

THE REUBEN HODGE FAMILY.

1. REUBEN HODGE.

Born about 1764; probably a branch from one of the New England Hodge families; married AMY HAVEN. Mr. Hodge had three brothers, Elisha, John, who settled in Wisconsin, and Billings.

Seven children:

2. SARAH ("SALLY") HODGE, b. May 3, 1789.
3. LOIS HODGE, m. Isaac Kimball; had dau. who m. a Smith, of Portland, N.Y.
4. AZUBAH HODGE, m. David Gordon; no children.
5. ELSIE HODGE, d. when a young lady.
6. ABRAM HODGE, b. 1794.
7. ISAAC G. HODGE, b. 1799; m., in 1824, Melissa, dau. of William and Anna (Mills) Hill, of Canajoharie, N.Y., and had William, Sarah, Oscar, Squires, Roxanna, Ann, Henriette, Elsie, Clemenza, and Charles.
8. JACOB HODGE, m. and had Abram, now supposed to be living in Cayuga Co., N.Y.

2. SARAH² HODGE (*Reuben*¹).

Born May 3, 1789; married (1) a SCHUYLER; married (2) LION GARDNER, widower, born July 19, 1764, and died May 24, 1858, son of Jeremiah and Mary (Dayton) Gardner, of East Hampton, Conn. Mrs. Hodge died April 19, 1869; children all by Gardner; resided Canajoharie, N.Y. (This Sarah possibly the daughter of one of Reuben's brothers.)

Eight children:

9. ABRAM S. GARDNER, b. Feb. 17, 1817.
10. STIMPSON GARDNER, b. Aug. 28, 1819.
11. SARAH GARDNER, b. Nov. 12, 1821.
12. ALMIE GARDNER, b. Jan. 16, 1825.
13. FRANKLIN GARDNER, b. Sept. 10, 1826; d. Nov. 19, 1846.
14. JAMES LION GARDNER, b. March 9, 1829.
15. STEPHEN G. GARDNER, b. Oct. 18, 1831.
16. HOWELL GARDNER, b. Sept. 19, 1834.

6. ABRAM² HODGE (*Reuben*¹).

Born July, 1794; married, about 1820, CAROLINE MILLS. He died in 1881, in his "87th year."

Five children :

17. ORVILLE HODGE, b. 1822; m. and had Lester, who had dau. Marietta; son Leland, unm. in 1896; dau., who m. Luther Taylor, and had dau. Grace and son Orville. Res. Cobleskill, N.Y.
18. AUGUSTUS M. HODGE, b. Dec. 3, 1836; m. Helen O. Williams; had William B., Augustus Early, and Horace B.
19. MARY M. HODGE, m. J. H. Stafford; had Charles F., who m. and had Mary and Grace; and Alice J., who m. J. L. Earll, of Utica, N.Y.
20. ELLEN P. HODGE, m. Horace Bush, of Lowville, N.Y.; had William T., who m. and had. dau. Vera.
21. EMILY HODGE, m. E. H. Bernard, of Fremont, Neb.; had William and Edward, who m., but no chil.

CAPT. JOHN HODGE, OF THE "MONTGOMERY."

JOHN HODGE.

Born probably 1732, in England; died April 6, 1798, at New Brunswick, N.J.; buried in Christ Episcopal Church cemetery. Miss Julia B. Leupp, a descendant of Mr. Hodge, writes:

"Tradition says that before coming to this country Mr. Hodge was an officer in the naval service of King George III., and being piqued or disappointed in not receiving promotion to which he thought he was entitled, resigned from his majesty's service." Under an act of Congress of Aug. 22, 1776, the 10th of October following he was appointed to the command of the frigate "Montgomery," of twenty-four guns. To prevent his vessel from falling into the hands of the British, it is claimed he blew her up. This, probably, is the Capt. John Hodge mentioned in the Newport, R.I., "Mercury," Aug. 16, 1796. The "Mercury" relates how

there lately arrived at Newport, from London, a Captain Wicks, of the ship "Sally," having in his care a large and elegant vase, or cup and cover, upon which was engraved, "From the Merchants of the City of Glasgow, To Captain John Hodge, of the American ship 'Sedgeley.' In testimony of their high sense of his Humane and Hazardous Exertions in saving the lives of 160 British Soldiers and Sailors, From on board the 'Aurora' Transport, when Sinking, Feb., 1795." "The vase," says the "Mercury," "is of exquisite workmanship, ornamented with oak and olive leaves, etc., beautifully chased and frosted."

Miss Leupp says, "He married a daughter of Alexander McDowell, a Scotchman, and had a large family; his youngest daughter, Margaret, married William Leupp, and had seven children, all now dead."

Children of William and Margaret (Hodge) Leupp:

1. MARGARET LEUPP, m.
2. ELIZABETH LEUPP, m.
3. EMELINE LEUPP, unm.
4. MARY LEUPP, unm.
5. JOHN HODGE LEUPP, unm.
6. WILLIAM H. LEUPP.
7. CHARLES M. LEUPP, m. and had chil.

6. WILLIAM H. LEUPP.

Mother was Margaret, daughter of Capt. John Hodge; married CORNELIA BEACH, of Cheshire, Conn. Residence, New Brunswick, N.J.

Seven children:

1. JULIA B. LEUPP, a D.A.R.; unm.; res. New Brunswick, N.J.
2. MARY LEUPP, d. several years since, unm., "aged 44."
3. WILLIAM LEUPP, d. in infancy.

4. JOHN HODGE LEUPP, res. New Brunswick, N.J.
 5. WILLIAM LEUPP, res. New Brunswick, N.J.
 6. BURRAGE B. LEUPP, res. New Brunswick, N.J.
 7. CORNELIA L. LEUPP, res. New Brunswick, N.J.
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THE LANSINGBURG (N.Y.) HODGE FAMILY.

JAMES HODGE.

Born before 1760; was the son of a Hodge who was a relative of Levinus Lansing, and who accompanied that gentleman when he founded Lansingburg. Possibly son of James Hodge, No. 16, in the Charles Hodge family. The name of this pioneer "relative" of Mr. Lansing has not been ascertained, but it is known that he had born at Lansingburg a son James, who married a woman by the name of Lifely, of German extraction, by whom he had three sons, John, Robert, and James, and two daughters. The eldest son John, died at sea when a young man. The second son, *Robert*, born in 1783, married and moved to Norway, N.Y., which at that time was a wilderness. He had eleven children, six boys and five girls; names of nine known: Abel, David, Harvey, Alanson Lansing, Henry, Julia, *Rodney*, Martha, and Emily. James, the third son of James, Sr., had his home at Lansingburg. He was a pilot on the Hudson river for more than sixty years. The elder James was also a pilot on the Hudson most of his life. During the Revolutionary war he served under Washington in the Continental Army. Mr. Rodney Hodge, of Adams Centre, N.Y., in 1894, then seventy-four years of age, furnished a large share of the information obtained in regard to the early history of this family. His letters were exceedingly interesting, and quite

of a historic character. One of his letters is closed with this pertinent expression: "I think my father's descendants averaged about eleven children, and I may further say that I never knew of one of them to be placed in *durance vile*, or who did not always pay one hundred cents on the dollar." The elder Hodge, who assisted in the founding of Lansingburg, was probably from New England, and belonged to some one of the eastern Hodge families.

4. RODNEY⁴ HODGE (*Robert³, James², the pioneer¹*).

Born Aug. 8, 1820, Norway, N.Y.; married, Oct. 9, 1845, CHARLOTTE MARIA MUNSON, born Oct. 14, 1820, Salisbury, N.Y.; daughter of "Lud" and Sally Munson. Mr. Hodge died Jan. 5, 1900, at Adams Centre, N.Y.

Seven children:

5. DWIGHT MUNSON HODGE, b. Aug. 9, 1846.
6. SILAS WRIGHT HODGE, b. Oct. 26, 1848; d. Sept. 17, 1849.
7. ELLEN MARIA HODGE, b. Dec. 15, 1849, Weston, N.Y.; now Mrs. Robert Smith; res. Province Ontario, Canada.
8. JAMES MILTON HODGE, b. Sept. 24, 1852, Weston, N.Y.; res. Adams Centre, N.Y.
9. JAY NILES HODGE, b. Jan. 8, 1854, Pinckney, N.Y.; res. Rome, N.Y.
10. EMMA AMELIA HODGE, b. Jan. 20, 1856, Pinckney, N.Y.; m., Dec. 22, 1886, Osmar Wheeler Leonard, b. July 11, 1859, son of John and Isabella (Smith) Leonard, and grandson of Henry and Huldah (Hull) Leonard; res. East Worcester, N.Y.
11. MINA A. HODGE, b. June 28, 1858, Pinckney, N.Y.; m. Charles Rogers; res. Adams Centre, N.Y.



REV. D. M. HODGE, D.D.

5. DWIGHT MUNSON⁵ HODGE (*Rodney⁴, Robert³, James², the pioneer¹*).

Born Aug. 9, 1846, Salisbury, N.Y.; married (1), July 31, 1868, MARY ELIZA PARMELEE, of New Haven, Conn.; married (2), Feb. 28, 1871, MARIE LOUISE HOFER, of New Haven, daughter of Victor and Salome Hofer, New York City, afterwards of Jeffersonville, N.Y. (The Hofers claim descent from Andrew Hofer, the Tyrolese patriot, born Nov. 22, 1767, and put to death in 1810, by order of Napoleon. In 1819 the Emperor of Austria conferred upon his family a patent of nobility under the name "Passeye," the name of the place where he was captured.) Mr. Hodge resides at Franklin, Mass., near Boston, where he is pastor of a church. For some years he was a pastor at Danbury, Conn. Among his literary productions are some very good poems. "The Sleeping Village," written while a student at college, is one of them.

One child:

12. EDITH LOUISE HODGE, b. May 29, 1873, Danbury, Conn.
Miss Edith was a bright student at Tufts College, and there graduated in 1897 with high honors.

THE JAMES HODGE FAMILY (PENN.).

This family probably is a branch from some one of the Hodge families of early date in the New England States, but the "connecting link" has not been ascertained.

1. JAMES HODGE.

Born July 5, 1795; married (1), Aug. 23, 1823, REBECCA MILLER, who died Nov. 4, 1828, Plymouth Valley

Penn.; married (2), March 25, 1830, KETURAH RANSOM, born April 26, 1801, daughter of George Palmer and Elizabeth (Lamoureux) Ransom. Mr. Ransom was killed July 3, 1778, at the battle of Wyoming, Penn. Mr. Hodge died Nov. 5, 1863, and she the year previous, Nov. 21, 1862. Resided where both died, Le Raysville, Penn. Mr. Hodge was probably of Albany, and may have been of the Lansingburg family, in which there were a number of James. Had three children by first wife and four by second.

Seven children:

2. FRANCIS MCKENDREE HODGE, res. Springfield, Mass.
3. EDGAR DEWITT HODGE, res. Chicago, Ill.
4. PRISCILLA HODGE, m. John A. Coddington.
5. JAMES MONROE HODGE.
6. CHESTER PRENTICE HODGE, b. Dec. 16, 1834.
7. WILBUR FISK HODGE, b. April 6, 1837.
8. SARAH LUCRETIA HODGE, b. May 30, 1845; unm.; res. Chicago, Ill.

5. JAMES MONROE² HODGE (*James*¹).

Married, July 16, 1861, MARY AMELIA CLYDE, born May 17, 1839, at Brownsville, Penn.; daughter of John J. Clyde. Residence, New York City, and Philadelphia, Penn. Children all born in latter city.

Eight children:

9. ALFRED CLYDE HODGE, b. Aug. 17, 1865; d. Jan. 29, 1866.
10. GRACE HODGE, b. May 12, 1868; d. Aug. 4, 1868.
11. ADELE HODGE, b. April 20, 1870; d. July 9, 1870.
12. BERTHA HODGE, b. Sept. 18, 1871.
13. RANSOM HODGE, b. March 14, 1874; d. Feb. 14, 1879.
14. WILLIAM BROWN HODGE, b. Dec. 13, 1877; d. Feb. 23, 1878.
15. AMELIA CLYDE HODGE, b. March 14, 1879.
16. CORDELIA HODGE, b. Dec. 27, 1880.

6. CHESTER PRENTICE² HODGE (*James¹*).

Born Dec. 16, 1834, Le Raysville, Penn.; married, April 14, 1863, JULIA EUGENIA MOTT, born June 23, 1837, Frederickstown, O. Residence, La Grange, Ind.

Eight children:

17. MARY VICTORIA HODGE, b. April 14, 1865; d. Oct. 8, 1865.
18. EGBERT MOTT HODGE, b. Oct. 3, 1866; d. Nov. 1, 1866.
19. EGBERT MOTT HODGE, b. Nov. 24, 1867.
20. JULIA MOTT HODGE, b. Nov. 12, 1869.
21. CHESTER JAMES HODGE, b. Jan. 21, 1872.
22. GRENVILLE SHERIDAN HODGE, b. Sept. 4, 1873; d. Oct. 11, 1873.
23. CARICE THEODORA HODGE, b. Aug. 14, 1876; d. Sept. 27, 1876.
24. THERESA MORRIS HODGE, b. Dec. 27, 1879.

7. WILBUR FISK² HODGE (*James¹*).

Born April 6, 1837; married, March 13, 1867, SARAH MARGARET ROSS, born June 9, 1845, Jacksonville, Ill., daughter of Leonard Blackman and Julia (Williamson) Ross. Children all born in Jacksonville, Ill.

Five children:

25. MARION WILBUR HODGE, b. May 22, 1868.
26. NELLIE LEE HODGE, b. July 25, 1870.
27. ALICE KATURAH HODGE, b. June 25, 1872.
28. CHESTER ROSS HODGE, b. Jan. 27, 1876.
29. JULIA LOUISA HODGE, b. April 14, 1881.

Credit is due to the Ransom Genealogy for the information here given in regard to this "James Hodge Family."

A NORTH CAROLINA HODGE FAMILY.

HENRY HODGE.

About the year 1800 emigrated from Tarborough, Edgecombe Co., N.C., to Livingston County, Ky., and there settled near the Ohio river. His first wife was a BRYANT, and the second a BARNES. He died about 1834.

Mr. F. T. Hodge, of Evansville, Ind., a grandson of this Henry, writes that his grandfather used to tell about some British soldiers coming to his house during the Revolutionary war. George, John, and Alexander Hodge, of North Carolina, were all in the Revolutionary war, — the latter a lieutenant, — but whether or not they were of the family of Henry Hodge has not been ascertained. Many of the Hodges of New England were mariners and frequently visited the coast towns of the South. Some of them it is known located there, and it is not improbable that those in North Carolina were of Northern parentage. Mr. Hodge had by his first wife seven children and by his second three. (See p. 289.)

Ten children:

1. ROBERT HODGE; said to have been the richest man in Livingston, Ky.
2. WILLIAM HODGE, d. in 1827.
3. THOMAS HODGE, d. 1837; m. and had Fidelio T. Hodge, of Evansville, Ind.
4. HENRY HODGE, lived in Tennessee; d. abt. 1850.
5. JAMES HODGE, res. Livingston Co., Ky.; d. 1833; father of H. C. Hodge, of Keokuk, Iowa, who had four sons.
6. ALLEN HODGE, res. Livingston, Ky.; d. 1835.
7. SALLY HODGE.

8. PAYTON HODGE, d. abt. 1857.
 9. MARIA HODGE.
 10. MARINA HODGE.
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A MISSISSIPPI HODGE FAMILY.

There appears to have been a Hodge family in the State of Mississippi, early in this century. It may have come from an emigration from the North, or possibly was an off-shoot from the North Carolina family of an earlier date. (See Lewis Genealogy.)

1. JOHN HODGE.

Married, 1814, ANNE C. LEWIS, born 1798, daughter of James M. Lewis, of Carroll County, Miss. She died there in 1848.

Seven children:

2. MARY EUPHEMIA HODGE, b. 1815; m., 1833, Dr. A. H. Buchanan, Hot Springs, Ark., who died, 1865; had Thomas, b. abt. 1841.
3. JAMES LEWIS HODGE, b. 1818; d. 1848, unm.
4. WILLIAM ISAAC HODGE, b. March 14, 1820.
5. JOSEPH HODGE, b. 1823; d. 1850, unm.
6. ROBERT THOMAS HODGE, b. 1827; d. 1852, unm.
7. BENJAMIN LEWIS HODGE, b. 1829; m. Caledonia Cash; had Arthur G., who d. 1864. A colonel in Confederate Army and congressman. Res. Shreveport, La.

4. WILLIAM ISAAC² HODGE (*John*¹).

Born March 14, 1820; married, Feb. 25, 1848, MARGARET P. ELLIS, born Aug. 19, 1828. He died Jan. 4, 1864, at Woodville, Miss.

Six children :

8. THOMAS E. HODGE, b. May 2, 1849.
 9. ANN LEWIS HODGE, b. March 14, 1851; d. 1852.
 10. MARTHA E. HODGE, b. July 25, 1853; m., April 13, 1874,
James Ernest Peeler, b. May 22, 1851; four children.
 11. GEORGE GORDON HODGE (dau.), b. May 2, 1857; d. 1884,
unn.
 12. HUGH MCGHEE HODGE, b. Aug. 19, 1859; d. April 17,
1863.
 13. MARY B. HODGE, b. Aug. 16, 1861; d. April 14, 1863.
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A NEW HAMPSHIRE HODGE FAMILY.

1. JOHN HODGE.

Born Jan. 28, 1802, Canterbury, N.H., probably son of James Hodge; married SARAH N. ROBIE, b. Oct. 29, 1805, of Danbury, N.H., though born in Sutton. He died April 19, 1858.

Mr. Hodge had three brothers and a sister: James, born 1808, and died Feb. 18, 1869; Chandler, born 1812, and died March 19, 1877; Leonard, still younger. James married and had a son, Orra, who resided in Concord, N.H., in 1896, and a daughter, while the other brothers died unmarried.

The sister, Harriet, married Alfred Stevens, of Manchester, N.H.

Mr. Hodge also had an uncle, who resided in Lamoille, Vt. When two years old Mr. Hodge with his parents moved from Canterbury, as says an old record, "back to Londonderry," which probably was the original home of the family.

Two children:

2. JEREMIAH HODGE, b. Jan. 28, 1831.
3. JOHN GILBERT HODGE, b. Jan. 27, 1841; res. Canterbury, N.H.; m., Aug. 12, 1862, Amelia C. Morrison, dau. David L. Morrison. Two days after his marriage he enlisted in Company D, Twelfth New Hampshire Regiment, and soon started for the seat of war. He was in the battle of Chancellorsville, May 3, 1863, and never heard of afterwards. It is supposed that he was killed by the bursting of a shell, and so disfigured by it that his remains were not recognized.

2. JEREMIAH² HODGE (*John*¹).

Born Jan. 28, 1831; married, Oct. 5, 1854, JUDITH ANN COLEY, born September, 1824, daughter of Abner Colby, of Auburn, N.H. The marriage took place in Manchester, N.H. In 1896 Mr. Hodge, in company with his son, Renton, was engaged in the manufacture of doors, sash, and blinds, at Manchester, evidently doing a large business.

A large-sized man, intelligent in conversation and quite genial in manner.

Three children:

4. CHARLES RENTON HODGE, b. March 8, 1856; m., March 17, 1880, Mary Frances Moore; had Fred. and Bertha May.
5. LUCY HODGE, b. Nov. 20, 1858.
6. ALICE M. HODGE, b. March 8, 1863; d. Sept. 23, 1872.

THE LEVI HODGE FAMILY.

1. REV. LEVI HODGE.

Was a resident of Warwick, Franklin County, Mass., sometime late in the last century. He was born about 1750-56. Levi Hodge, No. 119, page 61, in the line of John Hodge, the "progenitor," after the Revolutionary war, in which he served, resided at Barnard, Franklin County, Mass., which is a few miles from Warwick, and it is possible was the Rev. Levi Hodge here mentioned. If not, it is more than probable that the two Levis bore some near relationship. No account of the marriage of Levi, of Barnard, or the birth of any children to him has been found, which adds to the belief that Levi, of Warwick, some of whose children are here mentioned, was Levi, No. 119, as before mentioned.

Rev. Levi Hodge had three sons, Levi, Jr., Eldad, name of the other not given, and probably other children.

Lavonia Hodge, who married, April 20, 1826, Gardner Conant, born Jan. 30, 1794, and died January, 1877, at Warwick, possibly belonged to this family. There are several others of the Hodge name, of whom only meagre accounts have been gathered, who resided at Warwick, or in that neighborhood.

Two children:

2. LEVI HODGE, b. abt. 1778.
3. ELDAD HODGE, b. abt. 1780.

2. LEVI² HODGE (*Levi*¹).

Born about 1778; married, Oct. 12, 1805, TABITHA TOWNE, born June 28, 1778, eldest daughter of Ephraim and Huldah (Gale) Towne.

Eight children:

4. LEVI HODGE, b. April 11, 1806.
5. CHARLES HODGE, b. Warwick, Mass.
6. EPHRAIM TOWNE HODGE, b. Feb. 29, 1812.
7. RUSSELL HODGE, b. Jan. 10, 1817.
8. ROSWELL HODGE, b. Jan. 10, 1817; m. Calista Short; he d. Dec. 22, 1888. No chil.
9. ASA S. HODGE, m., May 8, 1845, Lucy Robinson Parker, b. Nov. 13, 1817, and d. Feb. 4, 1874; chil. died in inf. He was of Athol, but res. in Hubbardstown, Vt.
10. PHEBE HODGE.
11. HULDAH HODGE, m. her cousin, Madison Hodge; no chil.

3. ELDAD² HODGE (*Levi*¹).

Born about 1780; married, Oct. 29, 1803, ROXANA TOWNE, born Oct. 11, 1781, daughter of Ephraim and Huldah (Gale) Towne, and sister of Tabitha, his brother's wife. Resided at Warwick, Mass., where he died. She afterwards lived at Stowe, Vt.

One child:

12. MADISON HODGE, m. Huldah Hodge, his cousin; no chil.

4. LEVI³ HODGE (*Levi*², *Levi*¹).

Born April 11, 1806; married MARY SMALLEY.

Seven children:

13. CHARLES H. HODGE, b. Aug. 17, 1833; m. (1) Marietta Stockwell; m. (2) Myra Titus.
14. JOSEPH L. HODGE, b. Nov. 10, 1835; m. Ann Smalley. He died Jan. 7, 1897.
15. TABITHA ANN HODGE, b. May 11, 1838; m. Simeon Smalley.
16. JANE L. HODGE, b. Nov. 30, 1839; m. Carlos Wade.
17. MARY VINALD HODGE, b. March 12, 1842; m. John Lovewell; d. July 3, 1885.

18. HULDAH B. HODGE, b. Sept. 2, 1844; d. Oct. 16, 1863.
19. WINFIELD SCOTT HODGE, b. Sept. 29, 1848; d. April 14, 1875.

5. CHARLES³ HODGE (*Levi*², *Levi*¹).

Married Caroline Watts. Resides Stowe, Vt.

Three children:

20. DANIEL HODGE, m. Clara Delano.
21. SUMNER HODGE, b. 1840; served nearly three years in Civil war; m. Augusta M. Poor, and had son Walter, who, Feb. 6, 1877, after the death of the father, was adopted by Flavel and Fidelia Gaylord. Walter then under fourteen years of age.
22. CASSIUS HODGE, b. September, 1844; m. Cynthia Newhall.

6. EPHRAIM TOWNE³ HODGE (*Levi*², *Levi*¹).

Born Feb. 29, 1812, Warwick, Mass.; married (1), April 8, 1838, BETSEY C. SEAVER; married (2), Jan. 9, 1851, SUSAN M. WARREN. He died Jan. 9, 1887, Stowe, Vt. Had two children by first wife and one by second.

Three children:

23. HOLDEN SANBORN HODGE, b. Nov. 19, 1838.
24. VERNON WATERMAN HODGE, b. 1841; d. May 23, 1854.
25. DELIA REED HODGE, b. Aug. 7, 1852.

7. RUSSELL³ HODGE (*Levi*², *Levi*¹).

Born Jan. 10, 1817; married JANE PERKINS. He died June, 1888.

Six children:

26. LEVI HODGE, b. Nov. 8, 1836.
27. CHASTINA HODGE, b. Feb. 11, 1839.
28. OSCAR HODGE, b. Feb. 26, 1842.
29. GEORGE W. HODGE, b. Oct. 10, 1843.

30. ELLEN D. HODGE, b. Oct. 13, 1849.

31. VELMA L. HODGE, b. March 4, 1853.

10. PHCEBE² HODGE (*Levi*², *Levi*¹).

Married (1) LORENZO SANBORN; married (2) FRED. FRENCH; had two children by first husband and one by second.

Three children:

32. JENNIE SANBORN, m. Edward Wilkins, and d. March, 1865.

33. ASA SANBORN, b. 1844, and d. June 21, 1864.

34. IDA FRENCH, m. Dr. Freeman Babbitt.

23. HOLDEN SANBORN⁴ HODGE (*Ephraim T.*³, *Levi*², *Levi*¹).

Born Nov. 19, 1838; married, Nov. 27, 1864, FLORA ANN PECK, of Stowe, Vt. Mr. Hodge served almost three years in the Civil war. He died July 30, 1898.

Three children:

35. JENNIE S. HODGE, b. April 21, 1867, in Wisconsin.

36. LILLA MABEL HODGE, b. Oct. 29, 1873; d. March 8, 1875, Stowe, Vt.

37. WILLIS VERNON HODGE, b. May 16, 1876, Stowe, Vt.

25. DELIA REED⁴ HODGE (*Ephraim T.*³, *Levi*², *Levi*¹).

Born Aug. 7, 1852; married, Oct. 31, 1874, HERBERT STRAW. Residence, Stowe, Vt.

Five children:

38. LEO HERBERT STRAW, b. Jan. 7, 1877.

39. SUSIE RAE STRAW, b. Dec. 14, 1879.

40. ETHEL MAE STRAW, b. April 15, 1882.

41. MINNIE D. STRAW, b. June 7, 1888.

42. THOMAS HOLDEN STRAW, b. Feb. 7, 1893; d. Sept. 29, 1897.

ANDREW HODGE, OF VIRGINIA.

ANDREW HODGE.

Born 1771, in Virginia, near a place then called Green Brier, where he grew up to manhood. Late in the last century he accompanied Daniel Boone from Virginia through Kentucky. He had a brother, Hamilton, who preceded him to Kentucky. Andrew returned to Virginia, where he married ISABEL MCINTYRE and soon after moved to Montgomery County, Ky., where he lived until 1808 and then became a resident of Clark County, O., where his wife died about 1825. A few years later he married JANE MCCLINTOCK, of Virginia. By his first wife he had six children, all born in Kentucky except the last. By his second wife he had no children. The descendants of Mr. Hodge have become quite numerous, a large number of them now residing in Clark County, O., in and about Springfield. Mr. James Milton Hodge, of New Moorefield, O., son of James H. and grandson of Andrew Hodge, has furnished about all the information here given of this family. Andrew Hodge died at his home near Springfield, O., in March, 1857, at a ripe old age. It is to be regretted that something is not known of his ancestry. Perhaps he was a descendant of one of the Hodge brothers who came to this country and settled in Philadelphia, Penn., in 1730. In this family the name Andrew appears quite frequently. (See "Philadelphia Hodge Family.")

Six children:

1. WILLIAM HODGE, the eldest son, m. Eliza Wolf and had two sons and a daughter; after his death she married a Dast and moved to Paris, Edgar Co., Ill., where family now resides.

2. JOHN HODGE, second son, m. a Miss Baird and had a son and four daughters, all of whom married. William, the son, resides in Clark Co., O., near Springfield; he has two sons and three daughters, all married, viz.: Charles who has Elmer and Harry, and John who has one young child. The three daughters, Susan, Amanda, and Dorcas, may each have children, but no account of any has been furnished. P.O. address, Springfield, O.
3. ELI HODGE, third son, m. Lavinia Spencer, and had eight children: James H., Andrew, Mathew, Mary Jane, Angeline, Isabella, Abigail, and Sarah. Mary Jane and Abigail d. young. James H. m. Matilda Hendricks, and has son Edgar. Andrew, Mathew, and Sarah are living unmarried. Angeline and Isabella are married. Eli, the father, d. Dec. 7, 1852, "aged 56." Res. of the families mostly near Springfield, O.
4. JAMES H. HODGE, fourth son, b. April 27, 1800; d. Sept. 23, 1878; m. Elizabeth Saylor and had Samuel M., John H., James Milton, and Sarah Jane, all of whom are now living. Samuel M. has four sons and four daughters. Three of the sons are married: John H. has one son; James Milton m. Mary Ann Hunter and had Emma who d., two years old; Louis S., b. Aug. 29, 1871, d. Aug. 30, 1871; Asa M., b. Oct. 3, 1873; Ida Miranda, b. Feb. 2, 1875; Annie Isabella, b. Oct. 20, 1878. Sarah Jane, dau. of James H., unmarried.
5. SARAH HODGE, the fifth child of Andrew, m. William Baird and had two sons and two daughters.
6. JANE MCINTYRE HODGE, sixth child, m. Jeremiah Yeasel; had twelve children, eight boys and four girls; all married.

WILLIAM HODGE FAMILY, MARYLAND.

1. WILLIAM HODGE.

Born Aug. 2, 1782, Bladensburg, Prince George County, Maryland, probably son of Nathan, after whom he named his second son. Mr. Hodge emigrated to Jessamine County,

Ky., before 1828, and that year settled in Maysville, Mason County. Here he became a member of the Presbyterian church, Rev. Mr. Edgar, pastor. He married (1), Jan. 19, 1809, MARY TODD, of Paris, Ky., who was born Sept. 4, 1788, and died Nov. 10, 1824; married (2), May 31, 1826, SARAH BAIRD, of Washington, Penn., who was born March 11, 1793, and died May 30, 1833; married (3), May 1, 1834, Mrs. ISABELLA DORSEY, daughter of Dr. William Watts, whose wife was a McCullough.

Mr. Hodge probably married Mrs. Dorsey in Flemingsburg, Ky., where he afterwards lived and where he died, Nov. 22, 1860, aged seventy-eight. He had in all twelve children, six by his first wife, three by his second, and three by the third.

Twelve children:

2. SAMUEL HODGE, b. Nov. 15, 1809; d. Aug. 3, 1831.
3. MARY ANN HODGE, b. Feb. 2, 1812; m., Sept. 1, 1820, William Triplett. She d. Jan. 31, 1835, leaving two dau., Mary Hodge Triplett and Isabella Hodge Triplett.
4. NATHAN HODGE, b. June 13, 1814, d. March 27, 1836. Mr. Hodge at the time of his death was serving under Col. Fannin at Goliad, Texas, and was one of the 412 men massacred at that place by order of Gen. Santa Anna, of Mexico, in violation of the terms of surrender. He died a martyr to the cause which made Texas a republic, and finally a State in the Union.
5. ELIZA HODGE, b. Aug. 22, 1816.
6. WILLIAM ANDREW HODGE, b. March 21, 1820; d. Dec. 15, 1824.
7. SARAH FIELD HODGE, b. Oct. 22, 1824.
8. GEORGE BAIRD HODGE, b. April 8, 1828.
9. SUSAN BAIRD HODGE, b. July 2, 1830; d. Sept. 6, 1831.
10. JANE BAIRD HODGE, b. Feb. 5, 1832; d. Sept. 8, 1833.
11. WILLIAM HODGE, b. April 17, 1835; m. Mary Page; res. Evansville, Ind.; had dau. Isabella.
12. ANDREW TODD HODGE, b. Sept. 5, 1837.

13. JAMES STOCKWELL HODGE, b. March 27, 1845; res. Maysville, Ky.

8. GEORGE BAIRD² HODGE (*William*¹).

Born April 8, 1828; married KETURAH TIBBATS, born 1825; daughter of Col. John W. Tibbatts, of Newport, Ky., where the family lived many years. She died in 1886. He became a midshipman, U.S. Navy, Dec. 16, 1845, and resigned Jan. 28, 1850. Mr. Hodge was a distinguished general in the Confederate army, and after the war was a State senator in Kentucky some years. A few years before his death he went to Florida, where he became interested in orange-growing. He was a prominent attorney-at-law, and practised at his profession until his death, in 1892.

Five children:

14. SALLY KETURAH HODGE, d. about 1877.
15. WILLIAM T. HODGE, d. about 1875.
16. ANN TAYLOR HODGE, unm.; res. Newport, Ky.
17. GEORGEN BAIRD HODGE, m. Samuel Christian Bailey; one son. Res. Newport, Ky.
18. JOHN TAYLOR HODGE, m. Virginia Lovell, of Covington, Ky. Mr. Hodge is an attorney-at-law; now a judge, Newport, Ky.

RICHARD HOGGE, HODGES, OR HODGE.

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Lived in Boston certainly as early as 1636; became a freeman May 13, 1640. Jan. 27, 1640, there was granted to him in Braintree, Mass., a few miles from Boston, where a settlement was being made, a lot containing twenty acres. The records do not show that Richard resided at

Braintree at any time. In the history of the town his name is not marked with a star, as those are who became actual settlers. In 1645 he owned in Boston "one house and garden." This property he sold August 21, the same year.

July 7, 1645, he was witness to a deed executed in Boston for land in Sufield, then part of Massachusetts. The deed is on record in that town. The name is plain "Richard Hodges." In records written by others the name generally appears as Richard Hogge. In early days poor spellers often twisted the name Hodge or Hodges into Hodg, Hogge, or something else.

As Richard signed his name Hodges, it is fair to believe that Hodges, or possibly Hodge, was his real name. That his children held to one of these names there is little doubt. Mr. Almon D. Hodges, of Boston, in his very complete work, "Hodges Family of New England," and also by letter says this Richard, so far as he can judge, had no connection with any Hodges family in this country, but probably the name was, or has become, Hodge. One of Richard's sons, as will be seen, had the name John, and was born March 4, 1643-4. The John Hodge whose line we have extensively traced in the main part of this work must have been born about the same time. The woman he married was born in 1646, two years later, which seems to warrant this conclusion. It is not, however, believed that the two Johns were one and the same person. Evidently they had different parentage. Richard's wife's name was JOAN. He belonged to the "First Church" in Boston, and is spoken of in the old records as "Our brother, Richard Hogge." The same church records give the names of his children, dates of their births, and baptisms:

Four children:

1. JOSEPH HOGGE, b. December, 1637; bap. Aug. 25, 1639.
2. MARY HOGGE, b. July 16, 1641; bap. July 22, 1641; soon d.
3. JOHN HOGGE, b. March 4, 1643-4; bap. March 10, 1643-4.
4. MARY HOGGE, b. Feb. 3, 1646-7; bap. Feb. 7, 1646-7.

RICHARD HODGE.

Born May 19, 1819, Smithfield, Jefferson County, Va.; married, April, 1838, CATHARINE DEVILBISS, of Westmoreland, Penn. Removed to Springfield, O., in fall of 1839. He died May 30, 1852, while on his way to California. The widow afterwards resided with her son Noah, at Akron, O.

Five children:

1. JACOB HODGE, b. October, 1840; m., March 19, 1863, Elizabeth J. Dennis, b. June 7, 1844, of Springfield, and had Minnie, Margaret, Lizzie, Abbie, and Sallie.
2. NOAH HODGE, b. Feb. 6, 1842, in Springfield; m. (1) D. L. O. Johnson, of Jackson, Miss., who d. Aug. 10, 1874; m. (2), May 16, 1876, Sarah W. Ashman, at Akron, O. Mr. Hodge about 1870 was clerk of the Circuit Court in Hinds Co., Miss.; afterwards was a practising lawyer in Akron, O., from which place some years later he moved to parts unknown. By his first wife he had Edgar O. and another child.
3. RICHARD HODGE, b. June 25, 1846; m., Oct. 21, 1872, Sally Pierce.
4. GEORGE W. HODGE, b. Feb. 22, 1849; m., and lived near Springfield.
5. KATE HODGE, b. Oct. 10, 1851; m., Feb. 8, 1871, Jonas F. Stuver, b. May 12, 1846, in Northampton Co., Penn. Supposed to have resided in Akron, O., and perhaps still there; had two dau., Elsie E. and Nellie E.

HODGES, UNCLASSIFIED.

Old English records make mention of a number of persons by the name of Hodge. Place is here given to a few of the notes that have come under observation.

Following them mention is made of some of the name in this country who have not been clearly identified with any of the families traced.

An English work says there was a "Hodge house" in Lancashire, England, in the time of Henry VIII., 1509-47.

Robert Hogge (Hodge) was sheriff in York County, England, in 1555. (See published records of County of York, p. 364.)

Topham's Index to Chancery Proceedings in the reign of King James I., 1603-25, makes mention of William Hodge, Gent., of Flint, Cornwall, who was buried April 22, 1611. (Bath abbey register.)

An old record says, in Collumpton, Devonshire, England, "Andrew Ellicott married Elizabeth Hodge, and had son Andrew, who married, Feb. 10, 1707, Mary, the eldest daughter of Francis Fox, of St. Germain, Cornwall, who with his son, Andrew Ellicott, the third, came to America in 1730."

Cornwall, England, Heraldic Church notes make mention as follows: "April 5, 1643, Humphrey Hodge, Gent., buried at St. Stephen's Church; April 8, 1643 — 3 days later — Christopher Hodge, Gent., buried at same place. Sept. 21, 1741, Mrs. Mary Hodge buried at St. Dominick Church. Nov. 30, 1692, Elizabeth Hodge married Henry Wallis, at Shevioc, Cornwall, England."

In the diocesan register of Worcester, Eng., is the following marriage record: "Aug. 18, 1718, Dorothy Hodge, of Whistons in Claines, Eng., aged thirty years, widow, married Thomas Philpott, Rector of Oddingly, widower, aged thirty-eight."

A work called "Heraldica and Genealogica of London," says, under King James I., 1603-25, there was a suit in chancery. Arches *versus* Hodge *et al.*, and also one, Bul-ler *nil contra* Hodge.

Under Edward VI. (1547), Mary (1553), and Elizabeth (1558), proclamations were made before their coronations for those who had had knighthood conferred upon them to come forward and pay for same — £40. In Queen Mary's list was one John Hogge (Hodge), of Wiltes, who it appears took out his knighthood papers.

William Hodge, of Wadesmill, in the Parish of Thundridge, in the Hundred of Braughing, Hertfordshire, a yeoman, in 1573 sold land to Jane Wall, of the same place.

Thomas Hodge in 1633 occupied a messuage, containing for most part an orchard, situated in the Parish of All Saints in the Hundred of Hertford, Hertfordshire, Eng.

ELLEN HODGE.

Married FRANCIS ELDRIDGE. March 16, 1649-50, there was a certificate granted to John Dier for one hundred acres of land for bringing them into the country. (Norfolk, Va., record.)

EDWARD HODGE.

May 2, 1666, joined with Isaac Barrington and an Indian called "John" in giving a certificate to William Porter for one hundred and fifty acres of land in Norfolk, Va.

JACOB HODGE.

With others had land granted by the son of an Indian chief in Plymouth, Mass., May 5, 1710. (See Plymouth rec., Vol. 2, p. 155.)

JAMES AND RUTH HODGE.

Had the following children, born at Easton, Mass.:

1. RUTH HODGE, b. Nov. 18, 1706.
2. ELIZABETH HODGE, b. May 1, 1710.
3. JAMES HODGE, b. Feb. 18, 1719.
4. SETH HODGE, b. May 27, 1727.

ANDREW HODGE.

Drowned at Plymouth, Mass., April 1, 1701-2, "by the overturn of a canoe in the night time."

JAMES HODGE (of Weathersfield, Conn.).

June 16, 1712, he had land deeded him by Daniel Tryon. In his will he mentions Abigail Hircum, and brothers Thomas, Henry, and John Hodge. (Hartford, Conn., probate records.)

WILLIAM HODGE.

In 1714 was one of thirty-six landholders in Greenland, N.H. The town was set off from Portsmouth in 1705. (Hist. New Hampshire, by John N. McClintock, page 132.)

ISAAC HODGE (of Ontario, N.Y.).

Had children: Wesley, Samuel, Sally, and Mary Ann. An Isaac Hodge died April 8, 1807, aged 81, making year of his birth 1726. (Albany annals.)

SAMUEL AND HANNAH HODGE.

Had the following children born in New York City (births given in First Pres. Church record):

1. ANN HODGE, b. July 17, 1746.
2. LYLE HODGE, b. July 27, 1747. In January, 1773, there was a contest in Albany, N.Y., over his right to vote there, it being claimed that he was a res. of N.Y. City. The decision was in his favor.
3. ELINOR HODGE, b. Aug. 26, 1749.
4. SARAH HODGE, b. April 4, 1751.
5. MARGARET HODGE, b. Aug. 22, 1753; bap. August 28, following.

WILLIAM HODGE.

Served in Shirley's expedition, 1745; siege of Louisburg, April 30 to June 17, 1745. (New Hampshire record.)

WILLIAM HODGE (of Hingham, Mass.).

Was in the French-Indian war of 1756-63; on the roll May 4, 1756, in the expedition against Crown Point.

SAMUEL HODGE.

In 1745 belonged to Captain Hanson's troopers, and in August of that year was out seven days scouting in the woods. The men furnished their own horses, food, and ammunition. (New Hampshire records, Vol. 3.)

HENRY HODGE.

From February, 1727, to April, 1731, was a member of the Common Council of Philadelphia, Penn.

ABIGAIL HODGE.

Born in 1727, of Glastonbury, Conn.; married, Sept. 1, 1782, OBADIAH WELLS, of Suffield. After her husband's death she resided with a niece at Deerfield, Mass., where she died March 11, 1817, aged ninety. She was Wells' third wife; "a woman of fine character and culture." A record says she was the daughter of John Hodge, of Glastonbury, "an Englishman by birth."

CAPTAIN HODGE.

In a journal kept by Dr. A. R. Cutter, entitled "Military Experiences in 1756-8," this entry is found: "Sept. 19, 1756, intelligence came from the lake that Captain Hodge in May went out from Fort William Henry with forty-four men, who fell into ambuscade, and 'tis thought all are cut off save four who made their escape." Joshua Perry was one of those saved.

JAMES HODGE.

Born in 1760, and died July 3, 1821, in Rensselaer County, N.Y.; a soldier in the Revolutionary war, and a pensioner under the act of 1818.

WILLIAM HODGE.

Married, Nov. 14, 1761, MARGARET CHRISTIAN. (See record of Reformed Dutch Church, published by S. S. Purple, M.D., Albany, N.Y., Library.)

JAMES HODGE.

Married MERCY MORGAN, born about 1768, daughter of Capt. James and Grace (Smith) Morgan, of Preston, now Griswold, Conn. Mr. Hodge died Feb. 9, 1856, in Columbia, Herkimer County, N.Y.; no children. (See "Joseph Morgan and his Descendants.")

SAMUEL HODGE.

Served in the Revolutionary war. He belonged to Capt. William Felton's Company, Col. Timothy Bedell's Regiment; enlisted April, 1778, for one year. (New Hampshire Colonial Records, Vol. 3.)

EBENEZER HODGE.

Was in the army in the Revolutionary war eight years, from the beginning until the end, 1775-83. It is regretted that so little is known of him.

HEZEKIAH HODGE.

Was in the Revolutionary war, in Captain Parker's Company; "marched to Royalton, Vt." (New Hampshire records.)

ROBERT HODGE.

Served in Revolutionary war, in Capt. Robert Wilson's Company. Joseph Hogg was a lieutenant in the company. Perhaps this was the Robert Wilson who married Mary

Hodge, daughter of George Hodge, Northampton, Mass. (See George Hodge Family, page 268.) Mr. Hodge was 'paid for three days' time and ninety miles' travel. (See New Hampshire records.)

ALEXANDER HODGE.

In 1738 was a petitioner for land in New Hampshire. An Alexander Hodge, Oct. 11, 1790, was residing in Grafton, N.H., perhaps the same Alexander or his son. There was an Alexander Hodge who, July 13, 1785, bought land of Nathaniel Merrill, one hundred and five acres, in the original town tract of Landaff, Grafton County, N.H.

STEPHEN HODGE.

Born about 1775; married LOUISA M. CHANDLER, of Canaan, N.H., and had certainly three children:

1. JOHN ALFRED HODGE, of Colebrook, N.H., m. Almira Locke, of Columbia, N.Y., dau. of Joel W. and Mary (Chandler) Locke, his second cousin.
2. ANGELIA HODGE, m. Joseph French, of Stewartstown, N.H.
3. FELTON PERRY HODGE was a carpenter and resided in Colebrook, N.H.

WILLIAM HODGE.

Served in the Revolutionary war in the Coast Guard Militia of Connecticut, under the command of Col. Noadiah Hooker. Mr. Hodge was badly wounded and afterwards drew half pay from July 20, 1779, to 1786, and perhaps longer. The State charged the general government with his hospital expenses, amounting to £258; specie value, £10. 16. 06. (Controller's office, Hartford, Conn.)

WILLIAM HODGE (of Weare, N.H.).

Was a soldier in the Revolutionary war in 1780, and received for six months' service £12, silver money. (Hist. of Weare, and also New Hampshire record.)

ABRAHAM HODGE.

Served as a private in the Revolutionary war in the First New York Regiment, commanded by Col. G. Van Schaick. Jan. 23, 1784, he assigned his bounty or land warrant to Henry Hart for £10. (Albany land records.)

ISAAC HODGE.

Dec. 17, 1783, deeds for £400, with wife MARY, one hundred acres of land in "Hoosick District." (Albany records.)

ARIGAIL HODGE.

Born Jan. 1, 1788, in Bridgeport, Conn.; died Jan. 22, 1858, "aged 70 years and 22 days." (Bridgeport records.)

SARAH HODGE.

Born probably about 1790; married LYMAN L. FOOTE, born April, 1788, son of Timothy and Lucy (Throop) Foote, of Simsbury, Conn., later of Fairfield, O. She was of Skaneateles, N.Y. He died in 1812, at Johnstown, N.Y. Had Lyman and Roxana, both of whom became residents of Michigan. (Perhaps this Sarah was the Sarah Hodge, No. 2, daughter of Reuben Hodge, page 286.)

ALEXANDER HODGE (of Grafton Co., N.H.).

Perhaps the Alexander mentioned on a previous page; is supposed to have died in 1813, as his will was entered

for probate that year. He left a widow, Anna, and five children, John, Mary, Harriet, Louise, and Ellen, the eldest alone being of age. John married and had John, Ida A., Mary A., Damon F., West B., and Philena R.

SAMUEL HODGE.

March 16, 1773, he signed an appraisement of property of Samuel McDonald. (Staunton, Va., wills record.)

DR. IRA HODGE.

About 1800 practising his profession in Huntington, Vt. (Vermont Gazetteer.)

CHARLES HODGE (of Connecticut).

April 13, 1761, enlisted in Westchester, N.Y., Regiment, Capt. William Gilchrist's company, to serve in the French-Indian war. He is described as being thirty-two years of age, five feet three and a half inches in height, gray eyes, with brown hair and complexion; by trade a cordwainer. (N.Y. Col. Doc., Vol. 2, p. 629.)

MOSES HODGE (of "Oyster Bay").

Feb. 19, 1690, was a "Lieutenant of Foot," in a company commanded by Capt. Robt. Cole, a New York regiment in King William's war, 1689-97. (N.Y. Col. Doc., Vol. 1, p. 409.)

ROBERT HODGE.

Served in the French-Indian war. May 5, 1760, he enlisted in Capt. Abraham DeForest's company, New York troops. He is described as being five feet eight inches in height, with brown eyes, hair, and complexion. The

record says this company was composed in part of volunteers from Captain Dives' company. (N.Y. Col. Rec., Vol. 2, p. 590.)

SAMUEL HODGE.

Married ABIGAIL HUBBELL, born 1784, and died February, 1857, daughter of William Hubbell, of Newfield, now part of Bridgeport, Conn.; had William and Eliza Ann.

MR. HODGE.

Married ANNA CULVER, born Sept. 10, 1787; daughter of William and Esther (Grant) Culver; had several children who married. (Grant Family Genealogy.)

LAVINA HODGE.

Born Aug. 8, 1791, Glastonbury, Conn.; married (1) GEORGE HOLLISTER, baptized July 19, 1778, and died at sea in 1817, son of Capt. George and Dorothy (House) Hollister; married (2) ENOCH JACKSON, of Portland, Conn. She died at Portland, July 19, 1875. In 1885 Mr. Jackson was living; children all by first husband:

1. LORENZO WATSON, b. 1811; m., and in 1831 went to Alabama; d. there abt. 1839.
2. GILSON DIRON, b. Feb. 15, 1814; m. Mary Ann Cooper, b. Sept. 26, 1826, in Berlin, Conn.; res. Greenfield, Mass.; had eight children.
3. GEORGE, b. 1817; res. Minnesota.

ROBERT HODGE.

Married CAROLINE, born about 1800, daughter of William and Susannah Custis; had Susan and Fannie, who married a Watkins and died leaving four children. Mr. Hodge was of Raiford, Abbeyville, S.C.

POLLY HODGE (of Canajoharie, N.Y.).

Born July 20, 1801; married, March 16, 1817, SIMEON STODDARD, born Feb. 12, 1806, son of Ralph and Charlotte (Newton) Stoddard of Groton, Conn. Simeon was a farmer and died June 25, 1839, Lowville, N.Y.

Had five children:

1. ELI G., b. Nov. 24, 1817, at Harrisburg, N.Y.; m. (1), Dec. 14, 1842, Mary A. Roberts; m. (2) Anna M. Vickire. He was a farmer.
2. PHILENA, b. March 25, 1821; d. March 15, 1869.
3. MILTON T., b. July 27, 1828; m. Augusta A. Arthur.
4. HARRIET E., b. Nov. 15, 1831.
5. HORATIO N., b. March 20, 1836, and drowned July 27, 1864, at Carthage, N.Y.
(Harrisburg, where all these children were born, was afterwards changed to Lowville.)

WILLIAM HODGE (of Reading, Penn.).

Supposed to have died in 1767, as his will, bearing date Dec. 3, 1762, was entered for probate July 27, 1767. Mr. Hodge in his will mentions his wife MARGARET, a son Samuel, the eldest child, and other children as follows: William, John, Mary, and her husband Richard Say, Sarah, youngest daughter, and "my son-in-law George Hodge, and Margaret his wife."

Mention is also made of a grandson William, son of Samuel, and a grandson William, son of George the "son-in-law."

Margaret, the widow, and William, the second son, are entrusted by the will with the settlement of the estate.
(See Lancaster, Penn., probate records, book B., p. 126.)

HODGE & CAMPBELL (of New York City).

In 1792 published an edition of the Bible. It was known as "Holman's Bible," and called "self-interpreting." George Washington, then President, headed the list of subscribers.

JOHN HODGE.

Born Aug. 4, 1795, and died Aug. 30, 1850. This John probably was the baker mentioned in the Albany, N.Y., "Directory" of 1849, who at that time was a partner in business with William Hodge. Mr. Hodge made his will Feb. 2, 1850. It was entered for probate October 28 of that year. In it mention is made of his wife Catharine, a sister Agnes Pochin, two brothers, James and William, in Troy, N.Y., Ann, probably another sister, and his son John. Two years later Mrs. J. Hodge, probably the widow, was conducting a bakery at 663 Broadway. A CATHARINE HODGE died Oct. 21, 1841, aged 32. (Albany, N.Y., record.)

IRENE HODGE.

Married RICHARD COOK, of Rutland, Ohio, and had daughter Clarissa, born Sept. 22, 1799, who married, Feb. 22, 1818, Silas Strong, son of Judge Horatio Strong, of Salem, Ohio. (Strong Genealogy.)

JANE ELIZABETH HODGE.

Born Aug. 28, 1806, at Marcellus, N.Y.; married EDWARD TRASK NOBLE, born Feb. 11, 1809, son of Caleb Noble, of Steuben, Oneida County, N.Y.; she died Oct. 23, 1877; had four children.

JOHN BELDEN HODGE (of North Milford, Conn.).

Married, Sept. 14, 1806, VIOLET NORTHROP, of Woodbridge, Conn.

ABEL HODGE.

Born probably between years 1810-20; married LUCY SMITH, of Voluntown, Conn., daughter of Elias and Jane Douglas (Gates) Smith. Mrs. Smith born June 22, 1796. Mr. Hodge had four children. (Douglas Genealogy, p. 458.)

ABEL AND HARVEY HODGE.

Had niece LUCY HINMAN, Dorset, Vt., who married a Kimball and had son George H., who in Oct., 1896, was clerk of the court of Woodsville, N.H. (See p. 289.)

PHIÇEBE HODGE.

Married, April 10, 1835, SELDEN HOLMES BROWN, born Oct. 3, 1813; son of Abiel Brown. She died Feb. 24, 1872. He married (2) Mrs. JANE L. DUTTON, of Winsted, Conn. (Perhaps the Phœbe on page 284.)

JOHN O. HODGE.

Married LOUISA M. ROCKWELL, born Oct. 17, 1814, of Windsor, Conn., daughter of Zerah and Phœbe (Carter) Rockwell.

ELMIRA HODGE.

Married, Dec. 30, 1819, DANIEL ADAMS, born May 22, 1798, son of Daniel and Phœbe (Britton) Adams. She died Feb. 28, 1827, after which he married (2) Betsey —.

SARAH HODGE.

Married, Dec. 29, 1737, JAMES BOOGE, and died before 1739. He was born Oct. 26, 1710, and married (2) Anna Trowbridge. Residence, E. Haddam, Conn.

JAMES HODGE(?).

The Hackensack, N.Y., Dutch Reformed Church baptismal register has this quaint entry: "Born, Jenney, daughter of Jearns Houdge and Selle Macerailie April 29, and baptized June 4, 1786 by Rev. Roelef Bogert."

THOMAS HODGE.

History of Orangeburg County, N.C., among church baptisms has this: "Thomas, son of Thomas and Mary Hodge, baptized April 1, 1753. Sponsors, Charles Middleton and Anne Dauly."

JAMES R. HODGE.

Married MARY A. PEASE, of Enfield, Conn., who was born Jan. 22, 1824. Residence, Springfield, Mass.

MARY HODGE.

Born Sept. 16, 1769, probably in or near Bennington, Vt.; married, Feb. 7, 1789, RUSSELL HUMPHREY, born Jan. 23, 1765, son of Thomas Humphrey, of Goshen, Conn.; settled in Rensselaerville, Albany County, N.Y., where he died Jan. 10, 1813. She died May 14, 1838, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Electa Smith.

Six children:

1. ELIZABETH HUMPHREY, b. Nov. 12, 1789; m. Gilbert Shays.
2. LOVINA HUMPHREY, b. April 18, 1791; m. William Winans.

3. PHILURA HUMPHREY, b. June 13, 1793; m. Capt. Phineas Holmes.
4. ELISHA HUMPHREY, b. April 13, 1796; m. Lydia Winans.
5. ELECTA HUMPHREY, b. April 19, 1800; m. Melancthon Smith.
6. MARY HUMPHREY, d. in infancy.

(See Humphrey Genealogy.)

WILLIAM HODGE.

Oct. 19, 1820, then seventy-one years old, was granted a pension for services in the Revolutionary war, having belonged to the Connecticut Line Troops. (See New Hampshire records.)

HIRAM C. HODGE.

Born Feb. 22, 1821, at Stamford, Vt. In 1822 he went to Adams, Mass., and in 1836 to Pulaski County, Mich. In 1872 he was a member of the Michigan House of Representatives, and the same year was a delegate to the Baltimore Convention. In 1879 he was a member of the Michigan Senate.

He became a resident of Nevada County, California, where he served as county treasurer, and also as prosecuting attorney, but at what period the writer is not advised.

WILLIAM AND JAMES HODGE.

Among the first settlers of Blooming Grove, McLean County, Ill. In 1827 W. H. Hodge was sheriff of the county there, and some few years later "Andy" and Newton Hodge were residents of that county.

BENJAMIN HODGE.

Called "Old Benny;" resided in Rush Creek township, Logan County, Ohio, in District No. 5, just east of George Rosbrough, in 1837-8, and among the pupils at school there, mention is made of his children, or perhaps grandchildren, as follows: "Bill Hodge, Jesse, Jim, Henry, and little Betty." (See "Hist. Champaign and Logan Counties, Ohio," by Austin, 1872.)

LEVI HODGE.

Born about 1826; married, Aug. 4, 1850, MARY BERRY, daughter of Henry S. and Mary (Doremus) Berry. Mr. Berry was born Jan. 8, 1779. The children of Mr. Hodge were Mary, Milton, and William; the daughter, Mary, married Alfred R. Hathaway.

GEORGE E. HODGE.

Born 1832; married, February, 1861, MARY FOLSOM, born Dec. 4, 1836, daughter of Hon. John Folsom. She died Nov. 12, 1869, at Orange, N.J. Had Mary, born April 4, 1863. (Folsom Genealogy.)

LAURA HODGE.

A widow; married, Jan. 8, 1832, WALTER CHENEY, of Portland, Conn. She may have been the widow of James Hodge, of "Hodgetown," Glastonbury, Conn., who, Aug. 31, 1815, married Laura Hall, of Chatham, Conn.

MARY HODGE.

Married HIRAM SQUIRES, of Jerusalem, N.Y., and had Abigail K., born Oct. 7, 1834, at Milo, N.Y., who married Allen Hayes, and had born at Italy, N.Y., two daughters. (Hayes Family Genealogy, p. 200.)

SAMUEL HODGE.

Probably born 1835, in Detroit, Mich.; married, in 1850, at Hartford, Conn., MARGARET HAMILTON, born in England. At date of marriage he was twenty-four years old, and she twenty-two.

LUCY BROWN HODGE (of Leicester, N.Y.).

Married, Feb. 20, 1837, JOSEPH B. CAREY, of Portland, Conn. A Chatham, Conn., record says this Carey married, Feb. 29, 1837, Sarah Hodge, but this is believed to be wrong. The first child was named Joseph, after the father, and the second was called Lucy, as supposed after the mother. The children were Joseph W., born Jan. 16, 1838; Lucy Matilda, born Sept. 5, 1839; and Laura W.

SAMUEL W. HODGE.

Married, March 25, 1838, REBECCA GUNN, of Bridgeport, Conn. The Gunn family is a very old one in the southern part of Connecticut, and there have been several marriages between members of the Gunn and Hodge families.

ALBERT GALLATIN HODGE.

Married, Feb. 2, 1826, ELIZABETH SMITH, daughter of George and Mary Ellis Todd, born May 26, 1809, and had seven children: Mary Todd, Ann Amanda, Martha Watkins, Caroline Bullock, George Todd, James Albert, and Elizabeth Brown. Residence, Frankfort, Ky.

PAUL HODGE (of Paul Hodge & Co.).

Builder of a steam fire-engine, the first one to appear in New York City. It is said that the volunteer fire com-

panies were very much opposed to its use. Have no knowledge as to where the firm who built this engine was located, but probably in or near New York City.

CAPT. G. W. HODGE.

Born 1844, Lewis, N.Y.; Sept. 8, 1862, enlisted in Vermont regiment for service in Civil war. Served ten months and thirteen days. In 1864 he received a captain's commission and went with California volunteers to fight the Indians; served eight months under General McDowell, most of the time in Nevada. ("Vermont Historical Magazine.")

ELVIRA MARIA HODGE.

Born Nov. 2, 1834; married, Dec. 24, 1856, HIRAM T. COLBY, born Nov. 24, 1832; now a farmer in Sierra Valley, Cal.; had:

1. ELVIE ANGELIA, b. Sept. 20, 1857, Potsdam, N.Y.; m. John McKenzie, of Mohawk, Cal., and had six children.
2. LELAND AVERY, b. Oct. 11, 1866.

FRANCIS HODGE.

Married ANN SPENCER, and had Mary Ann, born Feb. 28, 1846, who married, March 17, 1866, Richard Watson, a farmer in Sidney, Mich., the son of John E. and Sarah Olcott (Van Ness) Watson.

FRANCES HODGE.

Married, July 4, 1850, ROBERT HAWLEY, born June 9, 1827, son of Samuel, Jr., and Polly (Middlebrook) Hawley. (See Hawley Record.)

JANE CAROLINE HODGE.

Married SAMUEL CATHERS, of Neshannock Falls, Penn.; had Elizabeth Berres, born May 6, 1851, who married, July 21, 1872, John Alfred Cody, born Sept. 22, 1846, in Ellington, N.Y., son of John Chamberlain and Alvira Electa (Gates) Cody; married at North Wilmington, Penn. (Hawley Record.)

ELISHA AND HANNAH HODGE.

Had Hannah, b. June 6, 1817, Canajoharie, N.Y., who married, Sept. 5, 1835, Ebenezer Mudge, Charlestown, N.Y. (See page 286.)

LAURA A. HODGE.

Married AMOS R. MEEKER, of Moira, N.Y.; had Frances, born May 16, 1856, who married Lucius Hawley, son of Tilness Hawley, and had Lana Daphne, born Sept. 11, 1883, and Gertrude Helen, born April 27, 1888. Mr. Lucius Hawley taught school in Buffalo, N.Y.

MARGARET FLORIN HODGE.

Born April 6, 1857; daughter of Thomas and Jessie (Haliburton) Hodge, of Mindoro, Wis.; married, Sept. 10, 1882, EDGAR A. TOWER, born Nov. 13, 1851, son of Rodney and Fidelia (Robinson) Tower.

SARAH AMELIA HODGE.

Married, Oct. 13, 1861, JOHN FITCH, born Feb. 14, 1839, Wilton, Conn., son of Harvey and Rebecca (Betts) Fitch. Resided, in 1874, New Orleans, La. Had born in Norwalk, Conn., Alice Rebecca, Aug. 1, 1862, and Jennie Eliza, Jan. 14, 1865. (Hawley Record.)

JOHN T. HODGE.

Married LAURA BELLE THURSTON, born Oct. 27, 1862; daughter of Nathaniel and Ruth (Lane) Thurston, of Gloucester, Mass.

FRANKLIN HODGE.

Married, April 29, 1864, MARY JANE AVERY, born April 11, 1832; daughter of David Clark and Clarissa (Farnham) Avery, of Nelson, Madison County, N.Y.

CLINTON HODGE.

Born in South Glastonbury; married; died Nov. 6, 1855, at New Haven, Conn., aged twenty-nine years. (New Haven records.)

JOHN C. HODGE (of Winchester, Mass.).

Married, Aug. 19, 1866, MARY E. ROONEY, and had five children:

1. ALICE VARNIA, b. June 4, 1867.
2. JOHN C., b. May 28, 1869; m., prob. May 8, 1890, Kate Ring.
3. MARY ELIZA, b. May 10, 1871.
4. EMMA AGNES, b. Nov. 25, 1872; d. Dec. 4, 1872.
5. EDWARD, b. Nov. 22, 1873; d. Feb. 8, 1874.

(Woburn, Mass., records.)

JOHN HODGE (of Woburn, Mass.).

Had for wife "LIZZIE," and a son John, born in 1839 and died March, 1874; perhaps father of the above John C.

HODGE.

The name of the first mayor and collector of customs, Sitka, Alaska, after the purchase of Alaska from Russia in 1867.

FREDERICK B. HODGE.

Born 1818; married, Oct. 21, 1840, SUSAN STORER, born 1820, of New Haven, Conn.; had David, born Aug. 1, 1849.

DIANTHA HODGE.

Born 1833; married JAMES CLARK, born 1833; they had son born Feb. 9, 1882, at Glastonbury, Conn.

EMMA HODGE.

Married, Nov. 1, 1883, at Beloit, Wis., WILLIAM HENRY HOLLISTER, born Jan. 3, 1858; had Alice Eliza, born Oct. 24, 1885, Salem, Wis.

LEONARD HODGE.

Was in the military service in the Revolutionary war, in Eleventh Regiment Connecticut Militia. He belonged to Capt. Daniel Lyon's company. Little is given of the regiment except that it was in New York in 1776, having marched from Connecticut to West Chester.

DAVID HODGE (of Milford, Conn.).

Was in the Revolutionary war certainly four years. He enlisted April 7, 1777, in the Sixth Regiment, Connecticut Line, which was first commanded by Col. Wm. Douglas, and afterwards by Col. Return Jonathan Meigs, who was elected governor of Ohio, 1807, 1810, 1812. After the war he settled in Massachusetts.

MARY J. HODGE.

Married, in 1842, AMOS KNOWLTON, born April 27, 1815; son of Thomas and Susan (Heywood) Knowlton.

She died Feb. 29, 1844. He married (2), Jan. 12, 1851, Anna M. Stone, by whom he had seven children. Some of this Knowlton family were from Ashton, Conn. Amos resided at Woburn, Mass.

AGNES HODGE (of Westfield, Wis.).

Married, Oct. 24, 1868, WILLIAM CHANDLER, born Aug. 12, 1848; son of Stephen and Henrietta (Crandall) Chandler, a farmer.

DAVID BUEL HODGE.

Married MARIETTE CARTTER, and had daughter Emma Elizabeth, born Dec. 20, 1858, in Suthfield, Conn., who there married, June 12, 1884, Francis Leroy Ashley, born Oct. 15, 1855, son of Dr. Elijah and Eliza Ann (Mandell) Ashley, of Somers, Conn. Mr. Francis L. Ashley, in June, 1872, moved from Ellington, Conn., to Windsor Locks, Conn., where he had born seven children; names given in Ashley Genealogy.

PRUDENCE HODGE.

Married (1) LEWIS B. RICHMOND, born June, 1803, son of Frederick and Alice Richmond, of Minerva, N.Y. He died in Randolph, O., Oct. 7, 1887; married (2) PARSONS WALTON, and removed to Indiana; had by first husband: Oscar, Catherine, Louisa, and Mary, who married Marcus Rice.

GEORGE W. HODGE.

Married, April 9, 1854, SARAH CHURCHILL, both aged 29 years, of Glastonbury, Conn.

BENJAMIN HODGE.

At a meeting of the General Assembly of New Hampshire, Dec. 3, 1709, joined with representatives of more than sixty other families in petitioning for a new town to be bounded as follows: "Beginning at a rock called Brandy Rock, near Sandy Point and to run up to the river by the mouth of a creek called Wheelwright's Creek and to run at each end into the woods upon a south east line, three miles." In the petition the petitioners state that they pay taxes sometimes at Hampton and sometimes at Exeter, and that the nearest meeting-house is at Exeter. (Provincial Papers, N.H., Vol. 3, 1692-1722.)

JESSE HODGE.

In the military service in Kentucky, in Capt. John Hoiden's company, and June 10, 1779, was stationed at or near Boonesboro', Madison Co., as shown by depositions taken Nov. 20, 1817, and March 4, 1818. (See "Hist. of Ky.," page 664.)

STEPHEN AND LYDIA HODGE.

Sold land, April 16, 1813, at Landaff, N.H., which they had, says the deed, "of our father, Miles Andrews." (Grafton, N.H., records.)

ANDREW HODGE.

Mustered into the military service June 15, 1791, "at the Rapids of Ohio," as a volunteer to serve against the Wiaw Indians, who at that time were committing depredations on the white people of Kentucky. He belonged to Capt. Brown's company of mounted troops, a part of the force commanded by Brig.-Gen. Charles Scott. (Louisville, Ky., records.)

MARRIAGES.

BOSTON, MASS.

ANNA HODGE m., May 31, 1763, Joseph G. Hartwell.
EDWARD HODGE m., Jan. 8, 1822, Mary Cook.
EDWARD HODGE m., Sept. 9, 1836, Prudence Hammond.
EUPHEMIA HODGE m., Aug. 28, 1828, Thomas T. Cushing.
HANNAH HODGE m., May 12, 1803, Francis Cleaver, Jr.
JAMES HODGE m., May 23, 1803, Abigail Jacques.
JOHN HODGE m., Dec. 3, 1818, Eliza Hopkins.
JOHN HODGE m., Aug. 28, 1837, Margaret Hicks.
MARY HODGE m., March 1, 1781, John Dobson.
REBECCA HODGE m., Oct. 3, 1839, Edward Cobb.
ROBERT HODGE m., Jan. 29, 1729, Alice Gill.
ROBERT HODGE m., Oct. 6, 1784, Hannah Champney.
ROBERT HODGE m., Jan. 7, 1781, Sarah McClealand.
ROBERT HODGE m., Jan. 10, 1787, Sarah Merick.
ROBERT HODGE m., Dec. 13, 1838, Sophia Lawrence.
THOMAS HODGE m., Feb. 3, 1729, Elizabeth Wilson.

NEWBURYPORT AND SALISBURY.

ABIGAIL HODGE m., April 5, 1808, William Edlund.
JANE HODGE m., Oct. 23, 1819, Henry Frothingham.
MARY HODGE m., Sept. 5, 1779, John Woollet.
THOMAS HODGE m., Aug. 8, 1776, Abigail Young.

(Record gives some of these as Hodges, but there is little doubt the name was Hodge.)

NEW YORK CITY.

ISABELLA HODGE m., Aug. 11, 1761, Ephraim Shaw.
RALPH HODGE m., Feb. 1, 1762, Elizabeth Walker.
THOMAS HODGE m., Nov. 9, 1782, Jane McCloud.
WILLIAM HODGE m., Jan. 10, 1761, Gerthy Wilson.

MILITARY SERVICE.

MASSACHUSETTS MEN BY THE NAME OF HODGE IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

The following statistics of military services are copied from the State archives of Massachusetts, now in the office of the secretary of state. Some points in connection with the service may have been omitted, but the main facts are given. The Revolutionary Rolls consist of many volumes, in a good state of preservation, classified under different headings. They may be examined by any person, or information can be had by applying for the same. The names given below are in alphabetical order, and number thirty-three.

ABRAHAM HODGE, private, on garrison duty, in First New York Regiment, at West Point; enlisted January, 1781, to serve during the war. — *Vol. 57, file 14.*

ALEXANDER HODGE, private, of Francestown; enlisted Feb. 1, 1776, and served under Capt. Jonathan Danforth, Col. Asa Whitcomb's regiment. Nov. 27, 1776, was at Ticonderoga. Under this enlistment served nine months and twenty-six days. By re-engagement, served under Capt. Israel Davis, Colonel Wigglesworth's regiment, until Dec. 30, 1776. — *Vol. 2, p. 43; Vol. 47, pp. 97 and 199; Vol. 51, file 21.* (Probably after the war settled in Landoff, Grafton County, N.H.)

ASA HODGE, private, of Hardwick, in company of Capt. Samuel Dexter, raised for six months' services, January, 1776, at Roxbury Camp. — *Vol. 49, p. 126.*

CATO HODGE, in naval service, on frigate "Boston;" enlisted June 23, year not given, and time of service not mentioned. — *Naval Service Record, Vol. 52, p. 181.*

EBENEZER HODGE, of Woodbury, private under Captain Brown, Colonel Bigelow's regiment; April 4, 1777, enlisted for three years; mustered into service April 13, at Suffolk; various entries on army rolls for payments, the last one being for services to April 4, 1780, end of enlistment. — *Vol. 15, p. 99; Vol. 61, p. 222; Vol. 71, p. 68.*

EDMOND HODGE, a captain in Col. Job Cushing's regiment, and also a captain in Col. Josiah Whiting's regiment. Served in "Northern Army." Pay-rolls for services bear dates Jan. 20, 1776, and July 27 and Aug. 29, 1777. — *Vol. 12, pp. 226-227.*

EDWARD HODGE, private, served under Capt. Miles Greenwood, Col. Jacob Gerrish's regiment, sixty days, from February 3 to April 3, in 1778. Pay-roll dated at Winter Hill. — *Vol. 19, p. 119.*

HENRY HODGE, private, Capt. Daniel Scott, Col. Joseph North's regiment; enlisted Sept. 10, 1777, for service in "retaking and defending mastership lading in Sheepscot river." — *Vol. 36, p. 223.*

HUGH HODGE, of Rowley, Essex County, private, Captain Lincoln, Lieut.-Col. John Brooks' regiment, the Seventh. Description: "17 years old, five feet high, hair brown; a farmer;" enlisted Feb. 27, 1781, for three years. — *Vol. 28, p. 183; Vol. 74, p. 97.*

ISAAC HODGE, of Yarmouth, private; October, 1780, enlisted for six months. Passed muster at Camp Totoway, October 25. — *Vol. 20, p. 237.*

JAMES HODGE, of Pownalborough, private, Capt. Daniel Scott, Col. Joseph North's regiment. Sept. 10, 1777, enlisted for service "defending and retaking mastership lading in Sheepscot river" — two days' time. — *Vol. 36, p. 223.*

JAMES HODGE, of Salem, seaman, aged 29 years. June 12, 1780, entered service on ship "Essex," a privateer, John Cathcart, commander. — *Vol. 40, p. 13.*

JAMES HODGE, private; entered service in March, 1781, to serve during the war; belonged to Capt. John Wendell's company, First New York Regiment, stationed in 1781 at West Point. — *Vol. 51, file 14.*

JOHN HODGE, of New Castle, private; enlisted for Salisbury, Essex County, for three years; entered service on or before Aug. 15, 1777; served under Capt. Nathaniel Alexander, Col. Ed. Wigglesworth's Regiment; reported dead. — *Vol. 11, p. 55; Vol. 63, p. 30.*

JOHN HODGE, of Newbury, naval service; description: "aged 25, complexion light, height 5 feet 7 inches," taken June 15, 1780. On ship "Junius Brutus," John Leach, commander. — *Naval Service, Vol. 40, p. 61.*

JOHN HODGE, of Hampshire, private; enlisted July 13, 1780, to reinforce Continental Army; discharged Oct. 10, 1780, — 3 mos. 6 days' service. — *Vol. 17, p. 28.*

JOHN HODGE, private; enlisted Aug. 17, 1777; discharged Nov. 29, 1777, — 3 mos. 17 days' service; with Northern Army, under Capt. Jonathan Rice, Col. Samuel Bullock's regiment. — *Vol. 22, p. 176.*

JOHN HODGE, of Hardwick, private; passed muster at Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780. Term of service, 6 mos. — *Vol. 25, p. 228.*

JOHN HODGE, of Bakerstown, corporal; in service from July 8 to Sept. 25, 1779, 2 mos. 17 days; in "Penobscot

Expedition." — *Coast Defence, Vol. 30, p. 141; Vol. 37, p. 120.*

JOHN HODGE, drafted from Middlesex County, private; regiment to reinforce Northern Army. Aug. 20, 1777, marched under Capt. Maynard, Col. Howe's regiment. — *Vol. 45, p. 261.*

MICHAEL HODGE, of Newburyport, captain; in expedition to Rhode Island in 1778. In 1780 made naval officer for Newburyport. Held the office several years. — *Vol. 26, p. 88; Vol. 28, p. 131; also other entries.*

NATHANIEL HODGE, naval service; enlisted June 27, 1779; discharged Aug. 27, 1779; on ship "Vengeance" in "Penobscot Expedition." — *Naval Service, Vol. 40, p. 19.*

ROBERT HODGE, captain in Third Lincoln County Regiment, chosen captain by Second New Castle Company and May 8, 1776, approved by Council. — *Vol. 43, pp. 208 and 247.*

ROBERT HODGE, private in company commanded by Capt. David Bell; enlisted Feb. 12, 1778, and discharged May 12, 1778, — 3 mos.' service. — *Vol. 17, p. 44.*

ROBERT HODGE, of Salem, private; enlisted June 6, 1775; served 1 mo. 27 days. For a time was stationed at Winter Hill.

ROBERT HODGE, private in company of Captain Barnes of Fifth Regiment. Served from September, 1776, to March 12, 1777, 6 mos.

ROBERT HODGE, private; under Capt. Abijah Childs, Third Regiment, Col. John Groaton; claimed allowance for depreciated currency paid for services in army from Jan. 10, 1777, to Jan. 27, 1778. — *Vol. 31, p. 103.* (This no doubt was Robt. Hodge of Sheepscot.)

SOLOMON HODGE, of Salisbury, private; served under

Capt. Robert Hodge of Third Lincoln County Regiment; enlisted for three years; on roll bearing date 1777 — *Vol. 43, p. 181.*

THOMAS HODGE, private in Lieutenant-Colonel Nixon's regiment, on roll dated Springfield, Jan. 25, 1777. — *Vol. 52, p. 86.*

TIMOTHY HODGE, of Taunton, private in company of Capt. Mathew Randall, Colonel Marshall's regiment; on roll dated New Castle Island, Oct. 14, 1776. — *Vol. 25, p. 28.* (Probably this was Timothy Hodges.)

WILLIAM HODGE, private, Capt. Abel Dinsmore, Col. Ruggles Woodbridge's regiment, enlisted Aug. 17, 1777; discharged Nov. 29, 1777, — 3 mos. 17 days' service. — *Vol. 18, p. 184.*

ZEBULON HODGE, private, Capt. Israel Trowe's company, Col. Josiah Whitney's regiment; enlisted May 14, 1777; discharged July 6, 1777, — 1 mo. 27 days' service in Rhode Island. — *Vol. 3, p. 183.* (Probably Hodges.)

NEW YORK IN REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

ABRAHAM HODGE, private, Captain McMaster, Col. Frederick Fisher's regiment.

ABRAHAM HODGE, private, First Regiment, New York line, under Col. Goose Van Schaick.

ABRAHAM HODGE, private, Captain Van Wyck, Col. Abraham Brinkerhoff's regiment, Second N.Y.

CURTIS "HODG," private, Sixteenth Regiment, Albany County Militia.

DANIEL HODGE, private, Col. William Malcolm's regiment.

DANIEL HODGE, private, Captain Williams, Colonel Graham's regiment.

DANIEL HODGE, private, Col. Morris Graham's regiment.

DAVID HODGE, private, First Regiment, New York line.

EPHRAIM HODGE, private, Captain McMaster, Col. Frederick Fisher's regiment.

EZEKIEL HODGE, private, Captain Brown, Col. Peter Yates' regiment.

ISAAC HODGE, private, Dutchess County Militia, Col. Zephaniah Platt's regiment.

ISRAEL HODGE, private, Captain Westfall, Col. Frederick Weissenfel's regiment.

JAMES HODGE, private, Captain St. John, Colonel Thomas' regiment.

JAMES HODGE, private, First Regiment, New York line.

JAMES HODGE, corporal, Captain Stephenson.

JAMES HODGE, private, Col. Thaddeus Crane's regiment.

JAMES HODGE, sergeant, Captain Tillman, Colonel Schuyler's regiment.

JAMES HODGE, private, Captain Truesdell, Colonel Crane's regiment.

JOHN HODGE, private, Col. William Malcolm's regiment.

JOHN "HODG," private, Seventeenth Regiment, Albany County Militia.

JOHN "HODG," JR., private, Seventeenth Regiment, Albany County Militia.

JOSHUA HODGE, private, Captain Whiteside, Col. Lewis Van Woert's regiment.

K. HODGE, private, Col. William Humphrey's regiment.

RALPH HODGE, private, Captain Wood, Col. Albert Pawling's regiment.

RALPH HODGE, private, Fourth Regiment, Dutchess County militia.

RALPH HODGE, private, Captain Williams, Col. Albert Pawling's regiment.

SAMUEL HODGE, private, Captain Caulkin.

SAMUEL HODGE, private, Col. John Hathorn's regiment.

SOLOMON HODGE, private, Captain Gilmore, Col. Lewis Van Woert's regiment.

SOLOMON HODGE, private, Col. John Blair, Sixteenth Regiment.

STEPHEN HODGE, private, First Regiment, New York line.

WILLIAM HODGE, sergeant, Captain Marvin, Col. John Hathorn's regiment.

OTHER STATES IN REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

New Jersey: FRANCIS HODGE served in an artillery regiment under Colonel Harrison.

JOSEPH HODGE was a soldier in the war from Essex County.

New Hampshire had in the war ALEXANDER, ASA, DAVID, EBENEZER, JOHN, ROBERT, SAMUEL, and WILLIAM HODGE.

"New York in the Revolution," edition 1898, gives a fuller account of the services of these men, together with the names of Abraham (2), Benjamin, Curtis, Daniel, David, Ezekiel, Ezekiel, Jr., Isaac, Israel, James, John, Joseph, Joshua, Samuel, and Capt. Samuel Hodges, some of whom it is quite certain, and most of whom it is believed, were of the Hodge family.



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ALLIED FAMILIES.

ALLIED BY MARRIAGE WITH JOHN HODGE AND
HIS DESCENDANTS.

THE DENSLOW FAMILY.

1. NICHOLAS DENSLOW.

Born 1577, died March 4, 1667; married (1) a woman whose name is unknown and who died before Mr. Denslow came to this country. He married (2) also, probably before leaving England, a woman whose given name, ELIZABETH, only, is known. She was born in 1585, and died Aug. 13, 1669. The best information obtainable warrants the belief that March 20, 1630, O.S., Mr. Denslow, accompanied by his family, and more than one hundred other emigrants, among them the two eminent clergymen, Rev. John Warham and Rev. John Maverick, left the shores of old England for a home in the New World. There is little doubt that he was one of this party. May 30, following, the ship "Mary and John," upon which he and the others are supposed to have sailed, reached Nantasket Beach, now Hull, Mass. The company soon founded the settlement of Dorchester. A portion of the old town is now a part of the city of Boston. At Dorchester Mr. Denslow was a freeman, certainly as

early as March 4, 1633, O.S., and perhaps earlier. There is little doubt he was an important factor in the young colony. In 1635 a portion of the Dorchester settlers migrated to the banks of the Connecticut river, and there founded the town of Windsor. Whether or not Mr. Denslow was among the first to make this change is unknown, but he was soon a resident there, and continued to reside in Windsor the remainder of his life. When the Pequot Indians became troublesome, and it was determined to give them battle, though then sixty years old, he joined the forces sent against them, and in the bloody engagement June 6, 1637, at Mystic, is supposed to have done his part in the destruction of that tribe. It is claimed that he was the oldest white man in the battle. For his services upon this occasion there was given him a tract of land. It is so stated in Hinman's unpublished M.S., in the Boston Historical Library, examined by the writer some two years since.

Six if not more of Nicholas Denslow's descendants were in the Revolutionary war, two certainly dying in the service.

Capt. Martin and Reuben Denslow were of the "Lexington alarm party." It is evident that there was fighting blood in the Denslow family.

In 1640 Nicholas owned the land in Windsor where now stands the First Congregational parsonage. He lived, as will be seen, to the age of ninety years, and his wife, who survived him two years, reached the age of eighty years.

During the latter part of his life he and his wife lived with their daughter, "the widow Buckland," to whom and to whose children by his will was given his real estate and most of his other property, the whole, at his death, being

appraised at £329.2. The sons, who were by his first wife, were not mentioned in the will. They perhaps were well settled in life, and may have previously been aided by their father. Besides this, the widowed daughter of the mother, then living, had cared for the parents in their old age, and no doubt had well earned the property left to her and her children. The children were all born in England, the three first being sons by the first wife, and the two last, daughters, by the second wife, who alone, of the children, were mentioned in the mother's will. There may have been other children; perhaps Job, whose wife Mary died Aug. 29, 1684, was one of them.

Five children:

2. NICHOLAS DENSLOW, b. prob. abt. 1612; prob. d. early.
3. HENRY DENSLOW, b. prob. abt. 1615.
4. JOHN DENSLOW, m. June 7, 1655, Mary Eggleston.
5. TEMPERANCE DENSLOW, b. prob. abt. 1620.
6. JOAN DENSLOW, b. abt. 1622.

3. HENRY² DENSLOW (*Nicholas*¹).

Born about 1615; came from England most likely with his parents, in 1630; first mentioned in Windsor, Conn.,

NICHOLAS (1) DENSLOW'S OTHER CHILDREN.

Nicholas, Jr., the elder son, probably died early. *John*, the third son, married Mary Eggleston, and had ten children; he died Sept. 14, 1689. *Temperance*, the eldest daughter, and fourth child, half-sister of the sons, married Thomas Buckland, and had nine children. Mr. Buckland received a grant of land for services in the fight with the Pequot Indians in 1637 at Mystic, when the tribe was destroyed. He died May 28, 1662. Mrs. Buckland died July 26, 1681. *Joan*, the other half-sister and youngest child, married Capt. Aaron Cook. She was his second wife; had certainly three children. Noah, the youngest, born June 14, 1657, had a daughter Minerva, who married Capt. Daniel Webster, a great-grandson of John Webster, who, in 1656, was governor of the Connecticut Colony. Captain Daniel had a son Noah, born March 25, 1722, who was the father of Noah Webster, born Oct. 16, 1758, the great lexicographer.

records, in 1644. In 1662 he purchased a large tract of land of Thomas Ford, of Windsor. The land is described as being on both sides of "Kettle Brook," a quarter of a mile wide, bounding on the Connecticut, extending from near the meadow — then called "long meadow" — on the south to about forty rods north of where now stands the railroad depot, at Windsor Locks, at the higher end of Pine Meadow. Mr. Jabez H. Hayden, an old resident of Windsor, whose ancestors helped settle the town, says, "Henry Denslow's land lay along the river eighty rods wide and five hundred and forty rods long."

Of this land Mr. Denslow gave his daughter Susanna, wife of John Hodge, and her children, "East on the river fifty rods, west from the river into the woods, eighty rods."

Mr. Denslow built a house on his land, and in 1663 went to living in it. His nearest neighbor was William Hayden, two miles distant, in the town of Windsor, but far away from the thickly settled part of the town. When King Philip's war broke out Mr. Denslow moved his family to Windsor, but being, as a writer has said, "a man of courage," against the advice of friends ventured back to work on his land. April 4, 1676, while absent on one of his daily trips to his farm, and probably while at work, he was captured by a small band of Indians, and as is supposed, was killed the same day. According to the statement of some Indian prisoners at Hartford, Mr. Denslow was taken by the same party who the day following his capture burned Simsbury. The manner of his death is unknown. The site where his house stood is a high point, pleasantly situated, overlooking the Connecticut river. On the two-hundredth anniversary of the death of Mr. Denslow a large flint boulder found on the land he once

owned was placed on the site of the house built by him in 1663. On it is inscribed, chiselled in the stone:

THIS STONE MARKS THE SITE OF THE FIRST
HOUSE IN PINEMEADOW, BUILT 1663, BY
HENRY DENSLOW, CAPTURED HERE AND
KILLED BY THE INDIANS, APRIL 4, 1676.

The compiler of this work, accompanied by his wife and a number of others, visited the spot Sept. 3, 1894, the two-hundred and forty-eighth anniversary day of the birth of Susanna Denslow, who was the daughter of Mr. Denslow and who became the wife of John Hodge, the progenitor, ~~two~~ years before her father's death. After the death of King Philip and the close of the war the widow and her unmarried children, five daughters and a son seventeen years old, moved back to the old home in the wilderness, and there for twelve years had no nearer neighbor than Mr. Hayden, who still resided in the woods, where he did before the war. The son Samuel, in time, bought out the other heirs and finally became the owner of his father's lands. His descendants now own the site where stood the first house, and considerable of the original farm, which is kept in a high state of cultivation, and upon which, in 1894, was to be seen the best breeds of stock. Miss Mary Webb is the present owner or was a few years since. Her line of descent from Henry Denslow runs as follows: Samuel, Joseph, Martin, and Mary, who married a Webb, her father. An inventory of the estate of Henry Denslow was made Aug. 17, 1676. In the distribution of the estate, perhaps only the personal property, £50 was allowed to Sam-

uel, the only son, £20 each to six of the daughters, and £30 to the other, Deborah, who, as the record says, was "lame and sickly." When the mother died, a few years later, her son Samuel, then twenty-four years of age, was appointed administrator on her estate.

Eight children:

7. SUSANNA DENSLOW, b. Sept. 3, 1646. (See John Hodge, No. 1.)
8. MARY DENSLOW, b. April 10, 1651; m., May 5, 1669. Thomas Rowley, Sr.; had the following children:
 1. MARY ROWLEY, b. April 16, 1670.
 2. MARTHA ROWLEY, b. May 13, 1677.
 3. JOHN ROWLEY, b. Oct. 27, 1679.
 4. THOMAS ROWLEY.
 5. ABIGAIL ROWLEY, b. Feb. 10, 1686.
 6. SAMUEL ROWLEY, d. Aug. 11, 1697.
9. RUTH DENSLOW, b. Sept. 19, 1653; m. Thomas Copler.
10. ABIGAIL DENSLOW, b. Feb. 6, 1655.
11. DEBORAH DENSLOW, b. Dec. 21, 1657; m., Jan. 27, 1678. John Hoskins, b. May 29, 1654, and d. Feb. 21, 1734. Deborah, as will be noticed, in the settlement of her father's estate was allowed a portion one-half greater than that given to each of her six sisters, because of her being "lame and sickly," but in less than two years thereafter she married and soon had quite a family of children, certainly not less than five, and now her descendants are quite numerous. Among them may be mentioned several prominent residents of Cleveland, Ohio: Mrs. Thomas Bolton, Mrs. E. C. Pechin, Mr. George S. Russell, and others. Deborah had the following children:
 1. DEBORAH HOSKINS, b. June 9, 1679.
 2. ELIZABETH HOSKINS, b. Aug. 22, 1682; m., Nov. 2, 1699, Thomas Thrall, b. July 10, 1676. Mrs. Pechin and others, of Cleveland, Ohio, descendants of Deborah Denslow, come through this line.
 3. SUSANNA HOSKINS, b. Aug. 22, 1682.
 4. JOHN HOSKINS, b. June 13, 1688.
 5. THOMAS HOSKINS, b. May 21, 1693.

12. SAMUEL DENSLOW, b. Dec. 19, 1659; m., prob. 1689, Patience Gibbs, b. Dec. 2, 1666. He d. Oct. 1, 1743, aged 84. Tradition says he was a man much honored and respected. April 7, 1732, in the division of land made in Harwinton, Litchfield County, Conn., owned by the Windsor proprietors, a certain number of acres were set off to Mr. Denslow, and thus he became an "original owner" of land in that town, but he never resided there. Harwinton originally consisted of two half townships, one owned by Hartford and the other by people of Windsor.

Children:

1. HANNAH DENSLOW, b. Nov. 14, 1690.
 2. ELIZABETH DENSLOW, b. March 9, 1692-3.
 3. SARAH DENSLOW, b. Feb. 16, 1694.
 4. PATIENCE DENSLOW, b. 1695; d. Dec. 9, 1697.
 5. SAMUEL DENSLOW, b. July 14, 1697; m. (1), March 7, 1728, Mary Grant, b. April 17, 1702, and d. May 25, 1729, great-granddaughter of Mathew Grant, of Windsor, ancestor of President Grant; m. (2), Oct. 1, 1730, Sarah Chapman; he d. 1762.
 6. BENJAMIN DENSLOW, b. March 29, 1701.
 7. JOSEPH DENSLOW, b. March 24, 1703-4.
13. HANNAH DENSLOW, b. March 1, 1661; m., 1687, Henry Burt.
14. ELIZABETH DENSLOW, b. Feb. 11, 1665; m. William King.

THE WELLES OF ENGLAND.

The Welles of Essex County, England, for more than a thousand years have been distinguished by their prominence in the service of the British government, and by the titles they have borne.

Several of the name now living in that part of England hold titles of honor. Twenty-seven of the name have been given crests and coats of arms. As many more,

who spell their names Wells, omitting the last "e," have been honored in like manner. An American writer of distinction says all of the name who came to this country prior to 1700 emigrated from Essex County. With much care the two families of Welles in this country have been traced. Thomas Welles was the head of one, and Hugh Welles and his brothers the progenitors of the others.

Both were among the early settlers of New England, and both took a prominent part in the founding of the Connecticut Colony.

The descendants of Benjamin Hodge, Sr. (see John Hodge Family, No. 49), are interested in the first (Thomas Welles), and the descendants of Benjamin Hodge, Jr. (No. 128), are interested in the lines of both Thomas and Hugh.

THE THOMAS WELLES FAMILY.

THOMAS WELLES.

Born 1570; married about 1596, and in 1629 emigrated to this country, landing at Salem, Mass., June 24, a year before the founding of Boston. It is said he was a rich man in England, but one day let fall some remarks quite uncomplimentary to the government, which, being reported, brought him into trouble. That when he was about to be arrested, his son placed him on board of a vessel about to sail for America. That the ship was searched, but that he escaped detection by being in a cask, supposed to be filled with water, where his son had placed him. He was followed to this country soon after by his whole family.

which included seven sons, Thomas, Hugh, Nathaniel, Edward, John, Joseph, and another son, whose name, says a writer, is supposed to have been Samuel. Says the same writer, they all, except perhaps Edward, settled, about 1633, in Rhode Island. This was prior to the settlement made by Roger Williams. The elder Thomas purchased of the Narragansett Indians a large tract of land and called the place Welles town. Here Mr. Welles lived during the remainder of his life, and at a place called "Chimney Orchard" was buried. Three of the sons, Thomas, Hugh, and John, in 1635 went to Boston, and soon after, with a number of clergymen, commenced the work of founding the Connecticut Colony. Thomas was made a magistrate at Hartford, and after holding many other minor positions of public trust, in 1655 became governor of the colony. He was born in 1598, and died Jan. 14, 1660. By his first wife he had six children, all born prior to 1644. His second wife was ELIZABETH FOOTE (see Foote Family, No. 2, in another part of this work), widow of Nathaniel Foote, and daughter of John Deming. Her daughter, Elizabeth, in 1638 married Josiah Churchill (see Churchill Family, No. 1), the first of the Churchill family in this country, and ancestor of Sarah Churchill, who, April 9, 1780, married Benjamin Hodge, Jr. (see John Hodge Family, No. 128). Mrs. Welles outlived her husband, the governor, many years. She made her will March 28, 1678, and added to it Aug. 16, 1682. In it she mentions her daughter, Elizabeth Churchill, and grandsons Joseph and Benjamin Churchill. (See Nos. 6 and 7, Churchill Family.)

THE HUGH WELLES FAMILY.

1. HUGH WELLES.

With his two brothers, Richard and Joseph, of Colchester, Essex County, England, in 1635 came to this country in the ship "Globe," and landed at Boston, Mass.

The following year they went to Hartford, Conn. Hugh, the eldest of the sons, settled in Weathersfield, a town adjoining. He was born, probably, in 1590, married, about 1619, FRANCES ———, and died about 1645. Four children, all born in Colchester, England, came with the parents to America.

About 1650 some of the Welles family moved from Hartford to Hatfield, Mass.

After the death of Mr. Welles the widow married Thomas Coleman, by whom she had one child only, Deborah, who married Daniel Gunn, of Milford, Conn. The widow Welles died in 1678. Hon. Gideon Welles, of Hartford, a descendant of Gov. Thomas Welles, in a letter of March 13, 1845, published at that time, says: "Hugh and John Welles (sons of Hugh, Sr.) were contemporaries with Governor Welles in this State, and spelled their names like the governor." Both families, it appears, were very particular to spell their name Welles instead of Wells. The names Thomas, Hugh, and John are prominent in each family. It is certainly a fair supposition that the Thomas and the Hugh Welles families were at least distantly related.

Mr. Welles had four sons and one daughter.

Five children:

2. THOMAS WELLES, b. 1620.

3. JONATHAN WELLES, b. abt. 1622; executor of his mother's will.
4. HUGH WELLES, b. 1625; d. Dec. 22, 1678.
5. MARY WELLES, b. 1626; m., 1650, becoming second wife of Jonathan Gilbert, who d. Dec. 10, 1682, aged sixty-four.
6. JOHN WELLES, b. 1628; d. Oct. 18, 1692.

2. THOMAS² WELLES (*Hugh*¹).

Born 1620; married, probably 1651, MARY BEARDSLEY, born 1631, and died 1690, daughter of William Beardsley, of England. Mr. Welles at the time of his marriage lived in Hartford, and the Beardsleys in Weathersfield, a town adjoining. In 1659 he moved to Hadley, Mass., where he died in October or November, 1676.

There was a Thomas Welles in the great "Falls Fight," Dec. 19, 1675, King Philip's war, serving in Capt. William Turner's company. The "Colonial War Society Annual" speaks of "Capt. Welles." At the time of the "Falls Fight" Mr. Welles had a son Thomas, about twenty-four years of age, and possibly it was this Thomas instead of the father who was in the Indian battle.

The estate of Mr. Welles was inventoried at £733, a part of it being in Hadley, Mass., £100 in England, and the balance in Weathersfield, Conn. June 25, 1678, the widow married Samuel Belding, whose first wife, Mary, had been killed by the Indians in the Hatfield massacre, Sept. 19, 1677. Mr. Belding had for a third wife another Mary, — this being the third Mary, — the widow of John Allis, mother of Abigail Allis, who when a little girl was captured by the Indians, at Hatfield, and who, as will be seen, married Ephraim Welles, one of the sons of Thomas and Mary Welles mentioned below. The first five of Mr. Welles' children were born in Weathersfield, and the other nine in Hadley, Mass.

Fourteen children:

7. THOMAS WELLES, born Jan. 10, 1652; m. Hepzibah Buel.
8. MARY WELLES, b. Oct. 1, 1653; d. same day.
9. SARAH WELLES, b. May 5, 1655.
10. JOHN WELLES, b. Jan. 14, 1657; d. same day.
11. JONATHAN WELLES, b. 1658; d. Jan. 3, 1739; was in King Philip's war.
12. JOHN WELLES, b. April 3, 1660.
13. SAMUEL WELLES, b. 1662; m. Sarah Clark.
14. MARY WELLES, b. Sept. 8, 1664; m. a Field.
15. NOAH WELLES, b. July 26, 1666; [was a lieutenant; will entered for probate Feb. 5, 1754.
16. HANNAH WELLES, b. July 4, 1668; m., July 7, 1687, John White.
17. EBENEZER WELLES, b. July 4, 1668; m., Dec. 4, 1690, Mary White.
18. DANIEL WELLES, b. Dec. 11, 1669; d. June 11, 1670.
19. EPHRAIM WELLES, b. prob. 1672.
20. JOSHUA WELLES, b. Feb. 18, 1674; d. 1678.

19. EPHRAIM³ WELLES (*Thomas*², *Hugh*¹).

Born 1672; married, Jan. 23, 1695-6, ABIGAIL ALLIS, born Feb. 25, 1672, and died Nov. 16, 1731, daughter of Capt. John Allis, of Hatfield, Mass. (See "Capture of Abigail Allis," in another part of this work.) Mr. Welles for a time lived in Hatfield, then perhaps for a short time in New London, Conn., after which he settled in Colchester, in that State. He was at Colchester certainly as early as 1714.

The original grant for the town was made Oct. 13, 1698, and provided for a "plantation" at "Jeremy's Farm," which embraced Salem and Marlborough. Mr. Welles and his brother Noah were among the first settlers. The town was called Colchester, after the town in England of that name, from which the Welles had emigrated. Mr. Welles became an ensign in the militia, and 1728-1732

was a representative to the General Court. Colchester Records, pages 445-499, are missing, and it is supposed that on some of these pages were vital statistics of importance to the Welles family.

Ten children:

21. EPHRAIM WELLES, b. prob. 1696-7.
22. ABIGAIL WELLES, b. prob. 1698; m., Jan. 27, 1721-2, William Maringer, of Colchester.
23. THOMAS WELLES, b. prob. 1700; had w. Sarah.
24. MARY WELLES, b. prob. 1702; m. a Day.
25. JOSHUA WELLES, b. prob. 1704; d. before 1781.
26. SARAH WELLES, b. prob. 1706; m. a Way.
27. ELIZABETH WELLES, b. prob. 1708; m. a Brown.
28. HANNAH WELLES, b. Jan. 2, 1709-10; m. a Green.
29. LYDIA WELLES, b. Jan. 18, 1711-12; m., Oct. 3, 1736, El-nathan Rowley.
30. REBECCA WELLES, b. Sept. 1, 1715; m. an Edgerton.

21. EPHRAIM⁴ WELLES (*Ephraim*³, *Thomas*², *Hugh*¹).

Born about 1696; married, Feb. 2, 1727, LYDIA CHAPMAN, whose mother's maiden name probably was Lydia Lincoln. Mr. Welles was a land-holder in Colchester, Conn., and there died September, 1786. As will be seen, Lydia, his eldest born, married Benjamin Hodge, and thus the Hodge and Welles families became allied.

Twelve children:

31. LYDIA WELLES, b. May 24, 1728. (See Benjamin Hodge, No. 49.)
32. ABIGAIL WELLES, b. Feb. 2, 1730; m., Nov. 6, 1755, John Morley; one record says Ebenezer Morley.
33. EPHRAIM WELLES, b. Aug. 26, 1731; m., Feb. 10, 1763, Sarah Gates. He served in the French-Indian war, and d. July 18, 1799.
34. LUCRETIA WELLES, b. Feb. 24, 1733.

35. HANNAH WELLES, b. Oct. 7, 1734.
 36. THOMAS WELLES, b. Jan. 28, 1736; prob. the Thomas Welles who was captured by the British, Sept. 6, 1781, at the taking of Ft. Griswold, Conn.
 37. JOSHUA WELLES, b. May 19, 1738.
 38. ELIZABETH WELLES, b. May 4, 1740.
 39. MARY WELLES, b. March 28, 1742.
 40. JOSEPH WELLES, b. Jan. 2, 1744.
 41. SARAH WELLES, b. April 28, 1746.
 42. EZEKIEL WELLES, b. Feb. 8, 1748.
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THE ALLIS FAMILY.

1. WILLIAM ALLIS.

A freeman, at Boston, Mass., as early as May 13, 1640. Here he had twelve acres of land granted him for "three heads." In 1661 he moved to Hadley, that part now Hatfield. Here in 1662 he was one of the selectmen; in 1672 a lieutenant of cavalry, Hampton County troops, and a deacon of the church. He was a captain in the fight with the Indians, May 19, 1676, at Great Falls, as then called, but since known as Turner's Falls, Franklin County, Mass., and had with him in the engagement three sons, one of whom, and perhaps two, were killed in the battle.

Mr. Allis' wife was killed Sept. 19, 1677, in the attack on Hatfield by the Indians.

June 25, 1678, less than a year after her death, he married MARY GRAVES, whose husband, John Graves, also lost his life in this massacre.

Mrs. Graves was a daughter of John Bronson, and before marrying Graves had been the wife of John Wyatt. In 1682, Mr. Allis having died, she married Samuel Gaylord,

and thus had in all four husbands. Samuel Allis, a grandson of William, was killed by the Indians at Deerfield, Feb. 29, 1704, at the same time Samuel's mother, Alice, then the wife of John Hawks, was killed and two of his sisters made captives.

Eight children:

2. JOHN ALLIS, b. March 5, 1642.
3. SAMUEL ALLIS, b. Feb. 24, 1647; m. Alice, by whom had seven children, one of whom, Samuel, was killed as above mentioned. Samuel, Sr., died in 1691.
4. HANNAH ALLIS, m., 1670, William Scott.
5. JOSIAH ALLIS, b. abt. 1649; d. Oct. 15, 1651.
6. JOSIAH ALLIS, b. Oct. 20, 1651.
7. WILLIAM ALLIS, b. Jan. 10, 1653; d. 9 mos. later.
8. WILLIAM ALLIS, b. Jan. 10, 1656; killed in the "Falls Fight," May 19, 1676; then "Big Falls," now Turner's Falls, Mass.
9. MARY ALLIS, unm.; d. 1690.

2. JOHN² ALLIS (*William*¹).

Born March 5, 1642; married, Dec. 14, 1669, MARY CLARK, widow of Nathaniel Clark and daughter of Thomas Meakins. Mr. Allis was a carpenter and contractor; he built many churches. He served in King Philip's war, and was in the "Falls Fight." Afterwards he was a captain in the militia. At the time of the Hatfield massacre, in 1677, his barn was burned, his mother killed, and his daughter Abigail carried away by the Indians. He died in 1691. His widow, the mother of two children by Clark, her first husband, and of twelve by Allis, within a year after his death married Samuel Belding, Sr. Mrs. Clark-Allis-Belding evidently was a woman of marked energy and courage, well suited to the times in which she lived. By Allis she had the following:

Twelve children :

10. JOSEPH ALLIS, b. 1670.
11. ABIGAIL ALLIS, b. Feb. 25, 1672. (See "Capture of Abigail Allis" in another part of this work; also Welles Family, No. 19, and trace to Lydia Welles, No. 31, and Benjamin Hodge, No. 49.)
12. HANNAH ALLIS, b. Oct. 9, 1673.
13. ICHABOD ALLIS, b. July 10, 1675.
14. ELEAZUR ALLIS, b. July 23, 1677.
15. ELIZABETH ALLIS, b. April 4, 1679.
16. LYDIA ALLIS, b. Aug. 15, 1680; d. 1691.
17. JOHN ALLIS, b. May 10, 1682.
18. REBECCA ALLIS, b. April 16, 1683.
19. WILLIAM ALLIS, b. May 16, 1684.
20. MARY ALLIS, b. Aug. 25, 1687; d. 8 mo.
21. NATHANIEL ALLIS, b. prob. 1689.

THE FOOTE FAMILY.

1. NATHANIEL FOOTE.

Born probably in 1593; came to this country from England; married, about 1615, ELIZABETH DEMING, born probably in 1595, and died January, 1683. She was a sister of John Deming, who married Honor Treat. (See Treat Family, No. 2.) In 1634 Mr. Foote was a free-man at Watertown, Mass., and in 1636 became one of the original settlers of Weathersfield, Conn. His name appears as one of the patentees of the Connecticut charter. He became a magistrate, and in 1641 was chosen a representative to the General Court, which position he continued to hold until his death, in 1644. Mr. Foote was a descendant of James Foote, to whom was given a coat of arms by King James, which is described as follows: "A shield

divided by a chevron, with quarterings of clover leaves;" crest and "oak tree;" motto, "loyalty and truth." The facts connected with the bestowal are given in these words: "In a war between the English and the Scots King James was in imminent danger of being destroyed, when James Foote, a trusty officer, escorted the king to a certain wood where was a large oak tree, the trunk whereof was hollow, and there concealed him unknown to any one, until he obtained a safe retreat." Mr. Foote's children were all born in the old country except the youngest. His descendants have become numerous and many of them quite distinguished. Among those bearing the Foote name may be mentioned Andrew H. Foote, late admiral in the United States Navy, of Civil war fame; Samuel A. Foote, governor of Connecticut in 1834, and United States Senator from that State; Hon. John A. Foote, of Cleveland, O., a brother of the admiral; and Hon. Samuel A. Foote, father of both John A. and the admiral. Judge Horace Foote, of Cleveland, descended from Nathaniel through another line. Mrs. Nathaniel Foote after the death of her husband became the second wife of Gov. Thomas Welles, of Connecticut, and outlived the governor some years. In a will made by her March 28, 1678, five years before her death, she very specifically provided for the distribution of her property, mentioning among others her "daughter Churchill," and her grandsons "Joseph" and "Benjamin Churchill." This Joseph was the great-grandfather of Sarah Churchill, who married Benjamin Hodge. (See Benjamin Hodge, No. 128, and Churchill Family, No. 32.)

Seven children:

2. ELIZABETH FOOTE, b. abt. 1616. (See Churchill Family, No. 1, and trace to Sarah Churchill, No. 32.)

3. NATHANIEL FOOTE, b. 1621; m., 1646, Elizabeth Smith. Mr. Foote d. 1665.
 4. MARY FOOTE, b. abt. 1623; m., 1642, John Stoddard, and then John Goodrich.
 5. ROBERT FOOTE, b. 1627; m. Sarah ——. He d. 1681.
 6. FRANCES FOOTE, b. abt. 1629; m. (1), 1648, John Dickinson, who d. 1676, leaving ten children; m. (2), 1677, Francis Barnard, who d. 1698.
 7. SARAH FOOTE, b. abt. 1632; m., 1652, Jeremiah Judson. She d. 1673.
 8. REBECCA FOOTE, b. abt. 1634; m. (1), 1657, Lieut. Philip Smith, who d. 1688; then became the fourth wife of Maj. Aaron Cooke, who d. Sept. 5, 1690, "aged 80." She d. April 6, 1701.
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THE CHURCHILL FAMILY.

1. JOSIAH CHURCHILL.

Born about 1614; married, 1638, ELIZABETH FOOTE, born 1616, and died Sept. 8, 1700, daughter of Nathaniel Foote, whose widow Elizabeth, mother of this Elizabeth, became the second wife of Gov. Thomas Welles, of Connecticut. Mr. Churchill came from Devonshire, England, the same place where John Churchill, who became Duke of Marlborough, was born, June 24, 1650. The Duke's father, Winston Churchill, and Josiah must have been of about the same age. Tradition in this Churchill family in this country says that the two men were of the same family, but how nearly connected is not stated. Josiah settled in Weathersfield, Conn., in 1636, and it is supposed came to this country not long before. In 1673 he contributed towards the purchase from the Indians of a considerable portion of Eastbury, a part of the town of Glastonbury, which adjoins Weathersfield.

He appears to have been a prominent man in the community. Died Jan. 1, 1686.

Seven children:

2. MARY CHURCHILL, b. March 24, 1639; m. a Church.
3. ELIZABETH CHURCHILL, b. May 15, 1642; m., Oct. 31, 1660, Henry Buck, who d. July 7, 1712.
4. HANNAH CHURCHILL, b. Nov. 1, 1644; m., Jan. 9, 1667, Samuel Royce, d. prob. before 1686.
5. ANN CHURCHILL, b. 1647; m. a Rice.
6. JOSEPH CHURCHILL, b. Dec. 2, 1649.
7. BENJAMIN CHURCHILL, b. May 16, 1652; m., 1677, Mary —, b. 1653, who d. Oct. 30, 1712.
8. SARAH CHURCHILL, b. Nov. 14, 1657; m., June 11, 1673, Thomas Wickham, of Weathersfield. He or she d. May 9, 1752.

6. JOSEPH² CHURCHILL (*Josiah*¹).

Born Dec. 2 (says one record, "July 3"), 1649; married, May 13, 1674, MARY EDWARDS. He died April 1, 1699; resided, Weathersfield, Conn.

Nine children:

9. MARY CHURCHILL, b. April 6, 1675.
10. NATHANIEL CHURCHILL, b. July 9, 1677.
11. ELIZABETH CHURCHILL, b. 1679.
12. DINAH CHURCHILL, b. 1680.
13. SAMUEL CHURCHILL, b. 1688; m., June 26, 1717, Martha Boardman; had six children. He d. July 21, 1767.
14. JOSEPH CHURCHILL, b. 1690.
15. DAVID CHURCHILL, b. 1692. (Says Glastonbury records, "David Churchill d. April 16, 1782, aged 92 years 10 months.")
16. JONATHAN CHURCHILL, b. 1692, twin of David.
17. HANNAH CHURCHILL, b. 1696.

10. NATHANIEL² CHURCHILL (*Joseph*², *Josiah*¹).

Born July 9, 1677; married, Oct. 9, 1701, MARY HURLBUT, born Feb. 17, 1680, daughter of John Hurlbut (see

Hurlbut Family, No. 12). Feb. 28, 1716, an inventory on the estate of Mr. Churchill in the probate court made the value of his property at his death £371. He lived many years in Weathersfield, but in 1715 probably moved to Westfield, Mass.

Six children:

18. NATHANIEL CHURCHILL, b. Oct. 29, 1703; m., 1726. Rebecca Griswold; seven children.
19. JOHN CHURCHILL, b. Jan. 19, 1706; m., June 8, 1727; res. Chatham, Conn.
20. STEPHEN CHURCHILL.
21. DANIEL CHURCHILL, b. Nov. 3, 1710.
22. SOLOMON CHURCHILL.
23. JOSIAH CHURCHILL, b. Aug. 8, 1714; m. Martha Gill, dau. of Ebenezer and Lydia (Cole) Gill, of Middletown, Conn.; his will, dated March 1, 1770, made his nephew Benjamin, son of Daniel, his sole heir. He left quite a large estate.

21. DANIEL⁴ CHURCHILL (*Nathaniel*³. *Joseph*², *Josiah*¹).

Born Nov. 3, 1710; married, June 16, 1735, ABIGAIL WHITE, born Oct. 31, 1717, and died 1813; daughter of Nathaniel White (see White Family, No. 24). In May, 1796, Mr. Churchill moved from Middlesex County, Conn., to Exeter, Otsego County, N.Y., arriving at Exeter May 10. Josiah Churchill (No. 23) also at this time settled in Exeter or Richfield, a town adjoining.

Mrs. Daniel Churchill outlived all her nine children but one, Sarah, reaching the age of ninety-six years. During the last twenty years of her life she was totally blind.

Ten children:

24. RUTH CHURCHILL, b. Oct. 20, 1737; m. Stephen White, prob. father of Dr. Joseph White, of Cherry Valley, N.Y.; had son Amenzo.

25. SARAH CHURCHILL, b. April 5, 1739; d. April 30, 1739.
26. ABIGAIL CHURCHILL, b. March 16, 1740; d. March 29, 1743.
27. ELISHA CHURCHILL, b. Aug. 24, 1742; m. —; d. during Rev. war; no children.
28. WILLIAM CHURCHILL, b. March 2, 1745; d. July 4, 1749.
29. BENJAMIN CHURCHILL, b. Feb. 5, 1747; m. Elizabeth Hurlburt.
30. DANIEL CHURCHILL, b. Oct. 2, 1750; m., 1779, Eunice Saxton, b. Dec. 13, 1750; at siege of Boston, May 10 to Dec. 19, 1775; d. shortly before his mother.
31. ABIGAIL CHURCHILL, b. May 2, 1753; d. unm.
32. SARAH CHURCHILL, b. Nov. 25, 1757. (See Benjamin Hodge, No. 128.)

THE TREAT FAMILY.

JOHN TREAT (OR TROTT as originally called).

Lived in Staplegrove, north of Taunton, Somerset County, England, on or near the English channel. He was probably born as early as 1525. He had a son, William, who had Richard. This Richard married a woman whose first name was JOANNA, lived in Pitminster, Somerset County, and there had a son Robert, who married HONOUR, or HONORA, who was buried at Pitminster, Sept. 17, 1627. Their son, Richard, was the first of the name to come to this country. The Treat genealogy, from which the above facts are largely gleaned, says Richard was baptized under the name of Trott, married as Trett, and here became Treat.

THE TREATS OF AMERICA.

1. RICHARD TREAT.

Born 1584; baptized Aug. 28, 1584; married, April 27, 1615, ALICE GAYLORD, baptized May 10, 1594, daughter of Hugh Gaylord. Mr. Treat died 1669. He was one of the early settlers of Weathersfield, Conn., and is named as one of the patentees in the New England Charter given April 23, 1662, by King Charles II. About 1639 he moved to Milford, Conn., where he established one of his sons in business, and then returned to Weathersfield, where he died. His second son, Robert, in 1675 became a major in the militia, and acted as colonel, commanding all through the war with King Philip. Hollister in his "History of Connecticut" says of his bravery in leading a forlorn hope: "It is without a parallel in our history, save in the life of Mason, who preceded him, or Putnam, who came after him." In 1683 Robert became governor of the Connecticut Colony, and after holding the office fifteen years declined to serve any longer. He had two wives, the first Jane Tapp, and the second the widow Elizabeth Bryan. He died, according to Savage, July 12, 1710. Robert Treat Paine, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, was his great-grandson. Richard Treat, the pioneer, and father of Robert, the governor, had the following:

Eight children:

2. HONOR TREAT, b. 1616; bap. March 19, 1616.
3. RICHARD TREAT, m. Sarah Coleman.
4. ROBERT TREAT, b. 1622; the governor.
5. JOANNA TREAT, m. John Hollister.

6. SARAH TREAT, m. Mathew Campfield.
7. SUSANNA TREAT, m. Robert Webster.
8. JAMES TREAT, b. 1634; m. Rebecca Latimer.
9. CATHERINE TREAT, m., Nov. 19, 1655, William Thompson.

2. HONOR² TREAT (*Richard*¹).

Born 1616, in Pitminster, England, and came to this country with her father; married, probably in the year 1637, JOHN DEMING, a Weathersfield, Conn., settler in 1635, and brother of Elizabeth Deming, who married Nathaniel Foote. (See Foote Family, No. 1, page 346.) Mr. Deming was often a representative of that town to the General Court from 1649 to 1661. He was a patentee in the Royal Charter of 1662. His will, bearing date June 26, 1690, was entered for probate in 1705, and he is supposed to have died about that time.

In the will five sons and five daughters are mentioned; some of the daughters, however, only by their husbands' names. (See Savage.)

Ten children:

10. JOHN DEMING, b. Sept. 9, 1638; m., 1659, Mary Mygate.
11. JONATHAN DEMING, b. 1639; m. (1), Nov. 21, 1660, Sarah, who d. June 5, 1668; m. (2) Elizabeth Gilbert.
12. SAMUEL DEMING, b. 1646; m., Mar. 29, 1694, Sarah Kirby.
13. DAVID DEMING, m., 1678, Mary.
14. EBENEZER DEMING, m., 1677, Sarah.
15. RACHAEL DEMING, m. John Morgan.
16. A dau.; m. Richard Beckley.
17. MARY DEMING, b. 1655. (See Hurlbut Family, No. 3, and trace to Mary Hurlbut, No. 12, who m. Nathaniel Churchill, and also to Melitabile Hurlbut, No. 17, who m. Nathaniel White, No. 17, and had Abigail White, No. 29, who m. Daniel Churchill, No. 21, and had Sarah Churchill, No. 32, who became the wife of Benjamin Hodge, No. 128.)
18. A dau.; m. Thomas Wright.
19. SARAH DEMING, m. 1700, Samuel Moody.

THE HURLBUT FAMILY.

1. THOMAS HURLBUT.

Born before 1610; married SARAH, about whom little is known. Mr. Hurlbut came to this country about 1635, either from Scotland or England. At an early date he was a blacksmith at Weathersfield, Conn., where he was highly esteemed and regarded as a man of sturdy character.

He was a lieutenant in the military service, and as such served against the Pequots in 1637, at which time he was wounded.

The colony gave him, as it did others who served against the Pequots, a warrant for one hundred and twenty acres of land. In 1690 this land was set off to his grandson, John Hurlbut, Jr. Mr. Hurlbut was chosen a deputy to the General Court, and held other positions of trust. It is said that the house in Weathersfield, in which Harriet Mitchell now or lately resided, stands on the site which was once the Hurlbut home. Mr. Hurlbut is supposed to have died between the years 1671 and 1675. His children, except one son, settled in or about Weathersfield, and the descendants now are quite numerous.

Possibly some have allowed their name to be twisted into Holibard or Hulbert.

Six children :

2. THOMAS HURLBUT, d. in 1689, leaving three sons.
3. JOHN HURLBUT, b. March 8, 1642.
4. SAMUEL HURLBUT.
5. JOSEPH HURLBUT.
6. STEPHEN HURLBUT.
7. CORNELIUS HURLBUT.

3. JOHN² HURLBUT (*Thomas*¹).

Born March 8, 1642; married, Dec. 15, 1670, MARY DEMING, born 1655, daughter of John and Honor (Treat) Deming. Sept. 5, 1675, Mrs. Hurlbut joined the church at Middletown, Conn., where no doubt the family was then living. Here Mr. Hurlbut died, Aug. 30, 1690. Town record says died "April 30," same year. There being an "unborn child," no distribution of the estate was made at the time, and it was finally deferred until June 19, 1696. This "unborn child," Mehitable, became, as may be seen by tracing the descent, we are proud to say, an important factor in the genealogical line of the compiler — his great-great-grandmother.

Ten children:

8. JOHN HURLBUT, b. Dec. 8, 1671; m. Rebecca Warner.
9. MARY HURLBUT, bap. April 7, 1673; d. in infancy.
10. THOMAS HURLBUT, b. Oct. 20, 1674; m. Martha Collins.
11. SARAH HURLBUT, b. Nov. 5, 1676; m. Joseph Warner, brother to John's wife.
12. MARY HURLBUT, b. Nov. 17, 1678; m. Nathaniel Churchill, grandfather of Sarah Churchill, who m. Benjamin Hodge, No. 128. (See Churchill Family, No. 10.)
13. MERCY HURLBUT, b. Feb. 17, 1680-1; m. Thos. Hale, of Glastonbury, Conn.
14. EBENEZER HURLBUT, b. Jan. 17, 1682-3; m. Sarah Dickens.
15. MARGARET HURLBUT, b. Feb., 1684-5; m. Timothy Sage.
16. DAVID HURLBUT, b. Aug. 11, 1688; m. (1) Mary Savage; m. (2) Mercy —.
17. MEHITABLE HURLBUT, b. Nov. 23, 1690 (posthumous); m. Nathaniel White, grandfather of Sarah Churchill, who m. Benjamin Hodge, No. 128. (See White Family, No. 17.)

THE WHITE FAMILY.

1. JOHN WHITE.

Born probably about 1600; came to this country, as is supposed, from Chelmsford, Essex County, England. He embarked at London on the ship "Lion," Captain Pierce, probably June 22, 1632, and landed at Boston, Mass., Sunday, September 16, about three months later. He resided first at Cambridge, then called Newtown, where in February, 1635, he was elected one of a board of seven men to manage the affairs of the town. In 1636 he moved to Hartford, Conn., the settlement of which had been commenced the year previous.

One of the Harvard College buildings, the library, it is claimed is on the site of a home lot, "his cow yard," once owned by him. It is also said that the famous "Charter Oak" stood upon land he once owned. In 1659 he became a resident of Hadley, Mass. Here he was chosen a representative in 1664 and again in 1669. Soon after he returned to Hartford, and in 1670 was made an elder in the "South Church." Of his wife, whose name was MARY, little is known except that she came with her husband from the old country, and was alive in 1666. Says Savage, from whose genealogical dictionary many facts regarding Mr. White have been taken, "He was a man of good repute, and died December, 1683, or the next month."

Six children:

2. MARY WHITE, b. abt. 1627; m., Jan. 29, 1646, Jonathan Gilbert.
3. NATHANIEL WHITE; b. 1629.

4. JOHN WHITE; m. Sarah Bunce, dau. of Thomas Bunce, of Hartford, Conn., by whom he had two children. He d. Sept. 14, 1665, after which his widow m. (2) Nicholas Worthington, the great progenitor of the chief Worthington family in this country. By Mr. Worthington she had three children, whose descendants are numerous, the family of the late George Worthington, of Cleveland, O., being among them. Mrs. Sarah White-Worthington died June 20, 1676.
5. DANIEL WHITE, m. Sarah Crow.
6. SARAH WHITE, m. (1) Stephen Taylor; m. (2), Oct., 1666, Barnabas Hindsdale; m. (3), Feb., 1679, Walter Hickson.
7. JACOB WHITE, b. Oct. 8, 1645; m. Elizabeth Bunce, of Hartford, Conn.

3. NATHANIEL WHITE (*John*).

Born 1629 in England and came to this country with his father; married (1) ELIZABETH, born 1625, and died 1690; married (2) MARTHA MOULD, widow of Hugh Mould, a noted ship-builder at New London, Conn., and daughter of John Coit, another man of prominence. She married Hugh Mould, June 11, 1662, and Mr. Mould died in 1692. Mr. White died Aug. 27, 1711, and Martha, his second wife, died April 14, 1730, aged about 86 years. Before the marriage of Mr. White and the widow Mould, two of Mr. White's sons, Daniel and Joseph, had married two of the widow's daughters, Mary and Susanna, by her first husband. Mr. White lived in Middlesex County, Conn., and was reputed to be the third richest man in the town where he resided. He held many positions of public trust, among them that of representative from 1665 to 1677, being 81 years old at the time of his last year's service. He was early an ensign in the militia, and after King Philip's war, in which he took part, he bore the title of lieutenant. At the time of his death he was called

"Captain." A fine slab of Portland stone, in the old cemetery, near the depot in Middletown, Conn., marks the spot where he was buried.

Eight children:

8. NATHANIEL WHITE, b. July 7, 1652.
9. ELIZABETH WHITE, b. March 7, 1655; m. (1) Sergt. John Clark; m. (2) Capt. William Savage; m. (3) a Williams.
10. JOHN WHITE, b. April 9, 1657.
11. MARY WHITE, b. April 7, 1659; m. (1) Jacob Cornwell; m. (2) John Bacon, Sr.
12. DANIEL WHITE, b. Feb. 17, 1662; so says tombstone; town rec. differs.
13. SARAH WHITE, b. Jan. 22, 1664; m. John Smith, of Haddam, Conn.
14. JACOB WHITE, b. May 10, 1665; m. (1) Deborah Shepard; m. (2) Rebecca Karney.
15. JOSEPH WHITE, b. Feb. 20, 1667; m. Mary Mould, dau. of his stepmother.

12. DANIEL³ WHITE (*Nathaniel², John¹*).

Born Feb. 17, 1662; married, March 1, 1683, SUSANNA MOULD, of New London, Conn., born April 2, 1663, daughter of his stepmother by her first husband. She died Sept. 7, 1754. Mr. White died Dec. 18, 1739, in Middletown, Conn., where he was born and is believed to have always resided. He filled various public offices; was an ensign in the militia; left a large property.

Six children:

16. DANIEL WHITE, b. Dec. 8, 1683; m. Alice Cook.
17. NATHANIEL WHITE, b. Sept. 3, 1685.
18. JOSEPH WHITE, b. and d. 1687.
19. JOSEPH WHITE, b. Oct. 8, 1688.
20. HUGH WHITE, b. Feb. 15, 1691; m. Mary Stone.
21. JOHN WHITE, b. Nov. 27, 1692; m. Susanna Alling.

- 22. SUSANNA WHITE, b. Oct. 16, 1694; m. Thomas Johnson.
- 23. ISAAC WHITE, b. Nov. 9, 1696.
- 24. JONATHAN WHITE, b. and d. 1702.
- 25. RUTH WHITE, b. Sept. 28, 1703.
- 26. RACHEL WHITE, b. Feb. 3, 1705.

17. NATHANIEL⁴ WHITE (*Daniel³, Nathaniel³, John¹*).

Born Sept. 3, 1685; married, July 29, 1714, MEHITABLE HURLBUT, born Nov. 23, 1690, and died Jan. 8, 1744; daughter of John and Mary (Deming) Hurlbut. (See Hurlbut Family, No. 17.) Mr. White died May 5, 1743. About 1721 he is supposed to have moved from Middletown to Chatham, across the Connecticut river, that part of the old town now called Portland. He held various offices and was called "Captain." Perhaps he was the Capt. Nathaniel White who was in command of troops in 1737. Oct. 25, 1721, Mr. White and his wife took letters of dismissal from the church in Middletown and united with the church at Chatham.

Ten children:

- 27. NATHANIEL WHITE, b. April 25, 1715; m. Mary Sage.
- 28. MEHITABLE WHITE, b. Sept. 23, 1716; d. Dec. 25, 1716.
- 29. ABIGAIL WHITE, b. Oct. 31, 1717. (See Churchill Family, Nos. 24 and 32.)
- 30. ELIJAH WHITE, b. Feb. 15, 1719; m. Abigail Hurlbut.
- 31. NOADIAH WHITE, b. Feb. 26, 1720; m. Lois White.
- 32. MEHITABLE WHITE, b. July 22, 1721; d. March 19, 1743.
- 33. AMOS WHITE, b. March 18, 1723; d. April 24, 1727.
- 34. SARAH WHITE, b. Oct. 24, 1724; m. Deacon John Clark, Jr.
- 35. JOHN WHITE, b. Jan. 14, 1727; d. July 14, 1727.
- 36. ANSON WHITE, b. March 21, 1728; d. April 4, 1728.

OTHER ALLIED FAMILIES.

The English family becomes allied with the Hodge family by the marriage in 1820 of Alfred Hodge and Sophia English. The English line is allied with the Newcomb family by the marriage in 1715 of Richard English and Abigail Newcomb. The Englishes are allied with the Caulkins by the marriage in 1777 of Abel English and Anna Caulkins, and the Caulkins are allied with the Deweys by the marriage in 1727 of Ezekiel Caulkins and Anna Dewey. Thus the Englishes, the Newcombs, the Caulkins, and the Deweys each furnish a line of ancestors for the descendants of Alfred Hodge. These lines are traced on succeeding pages.

THE ENGLISH FAMILY.

In England: John¹ English, born probably about 1610, in Essex County, England, had a son Richard², born probably 1635, who married FREEDOM STRONG, and had a son David³, born 1661, who married, May 7, 1688, ELIZABETH HAROLD. He died Sept. 6, 1704. David had a son Richard⁴, who emigrated to America.

4. RICHARD ENGLISH.

The first of the family in this country; born about 1689, in Essex, England; married, Feb. 17, 1712, MARY HINKS-

MAN, born July 30, 1688, probably daughter of John Hinksman. Mr. English came to this country May, 1710, in the brig "Swallow," and first made his home in Newport, R.I., then in Bristol, and finally settled, 1717, in Lebanon, Conn. He probably had other children besides those here mentioned.

Four children:

5. JOHN ENGLISH, b. Aug. 8, 1713.
6. SARAH ENGLISH, m. Silas Woodworth.
7. HANNAH ENGLISH, b. Sept. 19, 1722; m., Nov. 22, 1740, Peter Newcomb.
8. ABIGAIL ENGLISH, b. Nov. 12, 1724; m., 1741, Capt. Eddy Newcomb. (See Newcomb Family, No. 9.)

5. JOHN² ENGLISH (*Richard*¹).

Born Aug. 8, 1713; married, Nov. 9, 1738, ABIGAIL NEWCOMB, born Nov. 16, 1715, daughter of Deacon John Newcomb. (See Newcomb Family, No. 10.) Mr. English was the first of the family born in this country. It is supposed that he moved from Lebanon, Conn., to Cornwallis, Nova Scotia, in 1760. He died there in 1761. His widow was an original proprietor in Cornwallis in 1761 and continued to reside there until her death. (See note under Newcomb Family, "The Acadian Emigration.")

Eight children:

9. RICHARD ENGLISH, b. Sept., 1741.
10. ALICE ENGLISH, b. April 8, 1743.
11. JOHN ENGLISH, b. March 22, 1745. Possibly this is the John English who was in the Revolutionary war in Capt. Waterman's company, Col. Durkee's regiment, of Connecticut.
12. ZEPHANIAH ENGLISH, b. Dec. 9, 1747.
13. MART ENGLISH, b. July 10, 1749.
14. ABIGAIL ENGLISH, b. May 1, 1751.
15. ABEL ENGLISH, b. July 4, 1755.
16. JOEL ENGLISH, b. March 25, 1758.

15. ABEL³ ENGLISH (*John², Richard¹*).

Born July 4, 1755; married, May 15, 1777, in Nova Scotia, ANNA CAULKINS, born Sept. 2, 1757, and died March 16, 1834, daughter of Ezekiel Caulkins (see Caulkins Family, No. 20). Mr. English died Aug. 22, 1832.

In 1783 Mr. English changed his residence from Cornwallis, Nova Scotia, to Connecticut, and there resided until 1804, when he moved to German Flats, N.Y. From there he moved to Exeter, Otsego County, in the same State. In 1810 he made another change, now settling in the town of Hamburg, on a farm about seven miles southwest from Buffalo, N.Y., three-fourths of a mile from Lake Erie, where he continued to live the rest of his life, surrounded by a large family of children and several orphaned grandchildren. Mrs. English outlived her husband more than twenty years, continuing to reside at the old home until 1853, the year before her death, when she was taken to the residence of her youngest daughter, Clarissa, then Mrs. Wm. G. Angel, living at Angelica, N.Y. She died at the age of ninety-seven. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church for fifty years, and was a woman of rare virtues, dearly loved by her family, and greatly respected by a large circle of acquaintances. A few years before her death she became blind, but retained her mental faculties to the last. Her remains were taken back to Hamburg, where she had lived so many years, and buried at the side of those of her husband in the cemetery at Abbotts Corners. The writer, visiting the cemetery some years since, finding that no stone marked her grave, caused one to be erected, and now two Italian marble slabs tell where rest the remains of this worthy couple.

At the time of her death her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, dead and living, numbered eighty-two



THE OLD LOG HOUSE, 1810.

The rear part of this log house was built by Abel English in 1810. The main portion was erected a few years later, by Mr. English and his son John. The family of Mr. English consisted of two sons and seven daughters, all of whom married and all of whom but one had children. When Mrs. English died, in 1854, aged 97, her descendants, living and dead, numbered 82. Thus from this old log house sprung a large family, which is traced on succeeding pages. In this house the compiler of this work was born, and now after the many years that have since passed he looks upon the picture here presented with feelings of awe and veneration, well remembering the many draughts of pure cold water, in childhood, he drank from

"The old oaken bucket, the iron bound bucket,
The moss-covered bucket, which hung in the well."

Nine children :

17. REBECCA ENGLISH, b. Tuesday, 2 P.M., April 28, 1778.
18. ALICE ENGLISH, b. Tuesday, 8 A.M., July 9, 1780.
19. OLIVE ENGLISH, b. Wednesday, 10 P.M., April 24, 1783.
20. NANCY ANNA ENGLISH, b. Friday, 1 P.M., Jan. 13, 1786.
21. JOHN ENGLISH, b. Tuesday, 9 A.M., March 18, 1788.
22. EMILY PAMELIA ENGLISH, b. Tuesday, 2 P.M., July 20, 1790.
23. CHARLES CHESTER ENGLISH, b. Sunday, 1 P.M., Feb. 17, 1793.
24. SOPHIA ENGLISH, b. Sunday, 6 P.M., April 12, 1795.
25. CLARISSA ENGLISH, b. Tuesday, Dec. 2, 1800.

17. REBECCA⁴ ENGLISH (*Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born April 28, 1778; married, Feb. 24, 1807, PERAS BROWN, born April 21, 1780, and died July 30, 1842. She died May 14, 1811, in childbirth. He afterwards married a widow Coleman, many years younger than himself, by whom he had several children. The writer when a boy lived with this man several months. The injunction "Speak no evil of the dead," like most other rules, has its exceptions. The remembrance of how Brown with a hot iron put out the eyes of a dumb animal cannot be forgotten. Brown died from the effect of a kick from an enraged cow. "Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad." The cow lived!

Two children :

26. MORRIS BROWN, b. Feb. 19, 1809.
27. PERAS BROWN, b. May 14, 1811; m. and had several children; a lawyer; lived in State of New York; moved to Iowa.

18. ALICE⁴ ENGLISH (*Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born July 9, 1780; married, in Vermont, JOHN WHITMORE, who moved from there to Hamburg, N.Y., where he died in 1834-5. She died Jan. 17, 1826.

Three children:

- 28. GEORGE WHITMORE, b. June 29, 1808.
- 29. EMILY MOWBRY WHITMORE, b. Nov. 29, 1810.
- 30. CLARISSA ENGLISH WHITMORE, b. Aug. 12, 1815; unm.; d. Jan. 4, 1884.

19. OLIVE⁺ ENGLISH (*Abel¹, John², Richard¹*).

Born April 24, 1783; married DANIEL ALLEN, who died June 11, 1859. She died April, 1860. Mr. Allen was a physician and practised at his profession, in Hamburg, N.Y., many years. He moved to Ohio about 1837, but soon returned. He finally settled in Troy, Wis., where he died.

Two children:

- 31. LUCINDA ALLEN, b. Oct. 17, 1814.
- 32. LUCIUS ALLEN, b. Feb. 13, 1816.

20. NANCY ANNA⁺ ENGLISH (*Abel¹, John², Richard¹*).

Born Jan. 13, 1786; married, Oct. 6, 1809, DANIEL BRAYMAN, who died Aug. 5, 1867. She died Feb. 8, 1865. Mr. Brayman early settled in Hamburg, N.Y., where he owned a farm adjoining on the north the farm of Mr. English, his wife's father. Here he lived until the death of his wife, when he sold his land and went to live with his son Mason in Springfield, Ill., where he died.

His remains were buried at Springfield, while those of his most excellent wife rest in the cemetery at Abbotts Corners in Hamburg. Mr. Brayman was a man of ability and had many sterling qualities.

Eight children:

- 33. MARCELLON BRAYMAN, b. Dec., 1810; d. young.
- 34. ABEL ENGLISH BRAYMAN, b. Nov. 3, 1811.
- 35. MASON BRAYMAN, b. May 23, 1813.

36. JAMES ORIMEL BRAYMAN, b. July 15, 1815; m., April 23, 1850, Eliza E. Warren. He d. Oct. 30, 1887. Resided thirty or more years in Chicago, Ill.; engaged nearly all his life in newspaper and other literary work. His widow at last accounts was living in Chicago.
37. SARAH BRAYMAN, b. April 11, 1817; unm.; d. Aug. 31, 1855.
38. MARTHA BRAYMAN, b. April 25, 1819.
39. SOPHIA EMILY BRAYMAN, b. June 8, 1821; m. (1), Jan. 6, 1841, Isaac Woodhams; m. (2) Philetus Phillips; m. (3) Dr. John W. Barney, whom she outlived some years. Several years before her death she became a quite helpless invalid.
40. MALVINA BRAYMAN, b. June 17, 1824; d. July, 1824.

21. JOHN⁴ ENGLISH (*Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born March 18, 1788; married, Feb. 10, 1834, SAULY SHIELDS, born Feb. 7, 1793, and died Aug. 27, 1871, daughter of Samuel Shields, who about 1833 moved from the State of New York to the town of Seville, Medina Co., Ohio. Mr. English died Jan. 11, 1866. When he was three years old his parents moved from Cornwallis, Nova Scotia, where he was born, to Lebanon, Conn. In 1810, after several changes, his parents settled in Hamburg, N.Y. Mr. English finally became by inheritance and purchase possessor of his father's farm, and lived on it many years. About 1853 he sold it and moved to Seville, Ohio, where he purchased a farm, on which he lived until his death. Mr. English was a captain in the militia, a man of generous impulse, quite unassuming, and greatly respected by all who knew him.

Two children:

41. MARY ANNA ENGLISH, b. Feb. 4, 1835; unm.; res. Cleveland, O.
42. ABEL JAMES ENGLISH, b. Sept. 6, 1837; unm.; res. Cleveland, O.

22. EMILY PAMELIA⁴ ENGLISH (*Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born July 20, 1790; married, 1812, WILLIAM G. ANGEL, born July 17, 1790, and died Oct. 13, 1858. She died May 12, 1823. His great ancestor in this country was Thomas Angell, who, it is claimed, came to America with Roger Williams and settled in Rhode Island. Mr. Angel was a distinguished lawyer, a judge, member of Congress, and held many other positions of public trust.

He was generous almost to a fault. He lived in the town of Angelica, N.Y., a mile and a half from Angelica village, many years and was, according to his own request, buried on a high knoll back of his residence. Judge Martin Grover was his law-partner many years. Mr. Angel had for a second wife a sister of his first, as appears on next page. By the two wives, as will be seen, he had fifteen children. The writer once lived with the judge and has many reasons for remembering him as a big-hearted man. By his first wife he had

Six children:

43. WILLIAM PITT ANGEL, b. Feb. 2, 1813.
44. JOHN WILKES ANGEL, b. Feb. 26, 1815; d. Feb. 17, 1859.
He was a lawyer and politician; served one or more terms in the N.Y. Legislature, res. Cuba, N.Y.
45. SUSAN SOPHIA ANGEL, b. Feb. 19, 1817; m., 1854, James Stevens, who d. Dec. 8, 1889. She died Jan. 4, 1898, at the home of her half-brother James, N.Y. City; no chil.
46. HARRIET GARRETT ANGEL, b. April 21, 1819; m., Jan. 1, 1846, Lewis David Simons, who d. Feb. 9, 1863. She d. March 18, 1899, at Alameda, Cal., where she had lived many years; no children.
47. EMILY PAMELIA ANGEL, b. March, 1821; d. Aug. 25, 1822.
48. EMILY PAMELIA ANGEL, b. May 2, 1823; d. Jan. 23, 1843; a beautiful and talented girl.

23. CHARLES CHESTER¹ ENGLISH (*Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born Feb. 17, 1793; married, March 9, 1820, MARY MCNEAL, who by a former husband had a son Thomas. Mr. English for many years lived in Illinois, where he owned a good-sized farm, but just before his death sold all his interests in that State and started to locate in Missouri. He died Oct. 25, 1865, while on his journey West, and persons claiming relationship through his wife acquired all his property without process of law, no one of his many relatives making any claim. He was somewhat eccentric; talked much on the subject of religion to his own great delight, but to the dismay of others; had no children.

24. SOPHIA¹ ENGLISH (*Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born April 12, 1795; married, March 9, 1820, ALFRED HODGE, born March 9, 1795, and died July 11, 1832. She died 8 P.M., Jan. 13, 1846. (See Alfred Hodge, No. 275.)

Three children:

- 49. MANDANA SOPHIA HODGE, b. Jan. 4, 1821.
- 50. ALFRED AMENZO HODGE, b. Feb. 22, 1825.
- 51. ORLANDO JOHN HODGE, b. Nov. 25, 1828.

25. CLARISSA¹ ENGLISH (*Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born Dec. 2, 1800; married, in 1824, WILLIAM G. ANGEL, whose first wife was her sister Emily (see No. 22). Mrs. Angel died Sept. 19, 1873, Eau Claire, Wis.

Nine children:

- 52. JOHN ANGEL, b. 1825, d. 6 mo. old.
- 53. CATHARINE ANGEL, b. Dec., 1826; d. in 1829.
- 54. ANNA ENGLISH ANGEL, b. Jan. 22, 1828; d. Nov. 9, 1889, Alameda, Cal., unm.

55. CORNELIA ANGEL, b. Aug. 7, 1829; m., Jan. 3, 1860, Otis Wood, b. May 13, 1819, a widower, who d. May 26, 1894. She d. Oct. 29, 1893, while on a visit to her brother James in N.Y.; no children.
56. ABEL ENGLISH ANGEL, b. March 4, 1832.
57. HEBER REGINALD ANGEL, b. Aug. 14, 1834.
58. JAMES ROSE ANGEL, b. Feb. 12, 1836.
59. TEXAS ANGEL, b. Oct. 19, 1839.
60. CLARISSA ANGEL, b. Jan. 11, 1841; d. June, 1842.

FIFTH GENERATION.

26. MORRIS^A BROWN (*Rebecca^A, Abel¹, John², Richard¹*).

Born Feb. 19, 1809; married, Sept. 9, 1834, at Vernon, N.Y., MARIA C. SMITH, who died Feb. 8, 1869; daughter of Rev. John Smith, of Cherry Valley, N.Y.

Six children:

61. JOHN SMITH BROWN, b. June 16, 1835; m., Nov. 24, 1864. Mary Gulick, dau. of Rev. John G. Gulick. Mr. Brown d. April 27, 1866, from disease contracted while in the army. He was colonel of the 126th Regiment N.Y. Volunteers, and served with distinction during the whole Civil war; had one child, Jennie.
62. THEODORE M. BROWN, b. July 15, 1837; m., Aug. 30, 1864, Amelia M. Webber, of St. Louis, Mo., and had Morris and Theodore.
63. MORRIS ANGEL BROWN, b. June 19, 1839; d. June 5, 1840.
64. MORRIS BROWN, b. Aug. 22, 1841; d. June 22, 1864. He was captain of Company A, 126th N.Y. Volunteers, and killed in action near Petersburg, Va. The regiment, as already stated, was commanded by his brother John.
65. JENNIF M. BROWN, b. June 17, 1844; m., Nov. 24, 1864, Alanson Way Kelley, a surgeon in the U.S. army; one child.
66. EMELINE BROWN, b. May 14, 1848; m., Dec. 13, 1866, Erastus Willis Parker, of St. Louis, Mo.; one child.

28. GEORGE¹ WHITMORE (*Alice⁴, Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born June 29, 1808; married, December, 1840, ESTHER FULLER, born March 23, 1823. Mr. Whitmore resided for many years near North Prairie, Wis., where at one time he owned several farms, which were given one to each child. He was a man of sturdy character, greatly respected for his generous, unassuming ways in life.

Five children:

67. ALICE ABBY WHITMORE, b. Nov. 15, 1842.
68. CLARISSA ESTA WHITMORE, b. Feb. 5, 1845; m., Nov. 18, 1867, George Hoag, b. Feb. 28, 1839; res. Waukesha, Wis.; have two children.
69. GEORGE WHITMORE, b. Sept. 6, 1846; m. and has children.
70. MARTIN GROVER WHITMORE, b. Feb. 27, 1849; m. and has several children.
71. EMMA ALICE WHITMORE, b. July 11, 1859; adopted into the family of her Aunt Emily (No. 29), — Mrs. Martin Grover, — and made an heir to Mrs. Grover's property; res. Angelica, N.Y.

29. EMILY MOWBRY¹ WHITMORE (*Alice⁴, Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born Nov. 29, 1810; married, May 22, 1845, MARTIN GROVER, born Oct. 11, 1811, and died Sept. 5, 1875. She died Oct. 29, 1892. Mr. Grover was an eminent lawyer and distinguished jurist.

Before his marriage he gave little attention to dress and became extensively known as the "ragged lawyer." The writer knew him well and remembers much that was said of his peculiarity in this respect. In court his shabby attire often would excite merriment, but his thorough knowledge of law and his brilliant thrusts at the opposing

counsel were sure in the end to secure for him respect and admiration. In time he was elected judge of one of the lower courts, and continuing to rise in public estimation finally became judge of the Court of Appeals of New York, the highest court in the State, which position he held many years and until his death. He never dealt in real estate, stocks, or bonds, but loaned his money to neighbors and others, always charging the same rate of interest, six per cent. per annum.

Prudence and economy made him quite well off. His home for many years was in Angelica, N.Y., where he died, leaving no children of his own. His wife also died in Angelica.

31. LUCINDA³ ALLEN (*Olive⁴, Abel⁵, John⁶, Richard¹*).

Born Oct. 17, 1814; married (1), in 1838, JOHN MAYHEW, who died Feb. 12, 1844; married (2), in 1845, JOHN YOUNG, who died July, 1850, while on his way overland to California, at the time of the great gold excitement on the Pacific coast. Mrs. Young has lived in Elkhorn, Wis., many years, and if living, as she was at last accounts, is probably still there. She has been blind many years. Had three children by each of her husbands.

Six children:

72. JOHN ALLEN MAYHEW, b. Feb. 28, 1839.
73. BLANCHE MAYHEW, b. Nov. 20, 1840.
74. WILLIAM HENRY MAYHEW, b. July 14, 1842; m., Sept. 15, 1870, Ann L. Dutton, b. August, 1851, and d. Jan. 10, 1874; had Charles Dutton Mayhew, b. July 23, 1871, and Etta Marie Mayhew, b. Nov. 10, 1872; d. 1873.
75. EMMA YOUNG, b. Sept. 9, 1846.
76. VIRGINIA YOUNG, b. Sept. 2, 1848.
77. DANIEL ALLEN YOUNG, b. Dec. 8, 1850.

32. LUCIUS⁵ ALLEN (*Olive¹, Abel¹, John², Richard¹*).

Born Feb. 13, 1816; married (1), May 27, 1837, MARY L. SPOOR, who died Nov. 15, 1838; married (2), July 10, 1842, SARAH ANN BARNES, who died November, 1847; married (3), August, 1848, JULIETTE BARNES, sister of second wife, born April 28, 1818, and died March 11, 1878; married (4), Sept. 4, 1890, widow HEPSAH (TOMLINSON) BABCOCK, born March 31, 1836. He died Jan. 12, 1895. Mr. Allen stood six feet high and was well proportioned. He was a carpenter by trade, a fair upright man. In 1864 he was a member of the Wisconsin Legislature. He had children by all of his wives except the last one. He resided at Elkhorn, Wis., for many years, and there died.

Eight children:

78. AUGUSTUS C. ALLEN, b. Feb. 18, 1838; m., Sept., 1865, La Esmeralda King; has had a number of children; res. Fort Dodge, Iowa.
79. FRANCES A. ALLEN, b. Jan. 21, 1846; m., May, 1868, Duncan Wright; had Fayette, Virgil, Alice, and Edith; res. Centerville, Wis.
80. FAYETTE L. ALLEN, b. April 18, 1847; d. Feb. 24, 1865, while serving in the Civil war.
81. OTIS HORACE ALLEN, b. July 14, 1849; m. (1), Dec. 1, 1870, Helen Chambers, who d. March, 1874; m. (2), Sept. 8, 1881, Mary Clark; had by (1) w. Willis H., and by (2) w. Hattie, Clara, and Gertrude.
82. ESTHER JULIETTE ALLEN, b. Sept. 19, 1852; m., June 24, 1880, Gilbert Potter; had Glenn and Winnie; res. Pawnee City, Neb.
83. AICE WHITMORE ALLEN, b. Feb. 22, 1855; m., June 10, 1879, Harley C. Norris; had Edwin.
84. CHARLES SUMNER ALLEN, b. Aug. 24, 1857; d. March 10, 1883.
85. HATTIE LUELLA ALLEN, b. Nov. 8, 1861; school teacher; Milwaukee, Wis.



34. ABEL ENGLISH^s BRAYMAN (*Nancy A.⁴, Abel^s, John², Richard¹*).

Born Nov. 3, 1811; married, Dec. 31, 1840, CALISTA MOON. Both died many years since. Mr. Brayman was a farmer and quite unlike his brothers, having little literary taste. Resided most of his life in Hamburgh, Erie Co., N.Y.

Six children:

86. JULIUS DWIGHT BRAYMAN, b. March 17, 1843; m., Feb. 23, 1867, Marietta Wood, b. Oct. 13, 1845, at Brandon, N.Y. Mr. Brayman res. Cleveland, O.; has three sons: William, b. Dec. 31, 1868; m., May 20, 1896, Bessie E. Johnson, and res. in Cleveland; Oliver, b. Aug. 13, 1873, and Eugene, b. Dec. 24, 1876, also res. in Cleveland.
87. ABEL ASHLER BRAYMAN, b. April 22, 1845; m. Anne Bruce, b. Jan. 16, 1865; had Cora Estella, b. Oct. 1866, and Flora Isabel, b. Feb. 18, 1868.
88. MASON CALHOUN BRAYMAN, b. March 22, 1848.
89. EMILY ADELPHIE BRAYMAN, b. July 15, 1850; m., Nov. 2, 1866, Harry W. Flood; had Laura May, b. March 4, 1868.
90. MARTHA ANNA BRAYMAN, b. Aug. 5, 1854.
91. SARAH ELIZA BRAYMAN, b. Oct. 21, 1858; d. Aug. 18, 1860.

35. MASON^s BRAYMAN (*Nancy A.⁴, Abel^s, John², Richard¹*).

Born May 23, 1813; married, Sept. 6, 1836, MARY WILLIAMS, born Oct. 8, 1816, at Portland, Chautauqua County, N.Y., and died Feb. 19, 1886, at Ripon, Wis.

He died Feb. 27, 1895, Kansas City, Mo., at the residence of his daughter Mary. Mr. Brayman, in 1861, when the Civil war broke out, was largely engaged in building a railroad in Missouri. His residence for many years had been at Springfield, Ill., where he was a neighbor

of Abraham Lincoln, who knew him well. Shortly after the beginning of the great conflict, President Lincoln tendered Mr. Brayman a commission in the army, which at once was accepted. Mr. Brayman served with distinction at Fort Henry, Donelson, Shiloh, and in other battles.

He became a general, and left the army at the end of the war, with a highly commendable record. President Grant made him governor of the Territory of Idaho, which position he held four years. The general had a commanding figure, always standing erect, even in his old age, and with his long white hair presented an imposing appearance.

Three children:

92. SARAH ADALINE BRAYMAN, b. May 6, 1839; m., March 3, 1859, William H. Bailhache, a journalist of Springfield, Ill. Mr. Bailhache became a major in the Civil war. After the war he settled at San Diego, Cal., where for some years he was in the employ of the government. Have four children: John Mason, b. July 1, 1860; Arthur Lee, b. Aug. 6, 1862; Adaline, b. Jan. 9, 1865, and Wilhelmina, b. Jan. 31, 1874. John Mason, the eldest, m., April 9, 1891, Josephine P. Goodin, and has John G., b. Jan. 18, 1892, and Preston L., b. Jan. 11, 1895.
93. MARY CALHOUN BRAYMAN, b. July 15, 1849; m., March 12, 1872, Theodore Gowdy, b. April 3, 1847; res. Kansas City, Mo. Mrs. Gowdy inherits considerable of her father's literary tastes and public spirit; had Mason Brayman Gowdy, b. May 16, 1876.
94. ELLA SOPHIA BRAYMAN, b. Oct. 1, 1853; m., Sept. 6, 1880, Caswell A. Sharpe. She d. Aug. 15, 1881.

38. MARTHA⁵ BRAYMAN (*Nancy A.⁴, Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born April 26, 1819; married, Aug. 15, 1842, NELSON EMERSON, born April 2, 1811, son of Nathaniel and Polly

(Walker) Emerson. He died Jan. 30, 1893. Mrs. Emerson has lived for many years at East Aurora, N.Y., and is supposed to be residing there at the present time.

Seven children:

95. NELSON BRAYMAN EMERSON, b. June 21, 1843; m. (1), Aug. 11, 1863, Amelia Briggs, who d. about 1894; m. (2), about 1895; no children.
96. DANIEL MASON EMERSON, b. Dec. 12, 1844.
97. SARAH ANNA EMERSON, b. March 27, 1845.
98. GEORGE DOUGLAS EMERSON, b. Dec. 4, 1847; m., Dec. 11, 1872, Susan Kelly Corwin, b. Dec. 8, about 1849; no children. Mr. Emerson has a residence in Buffalo, N.Y.; he has figured considerably in politics, and at last accounts was holding a position in the service of the State at Albany: a man of ability and energy.
99. ISAAC WOODHAM EMERSON, b. Jan. 2, 1850; d. March 12, 1869.
100. CHARLES W. EMERSON, b. Feb. 7, 1855.
101. ALICE EMERSON, b. Jan. 28, 1860.

43. WILLIAM PITT² ANGEL (*Emily P.¹, Abel², John², Richard¹*).

Born Feb. 2, 1813; married (1) MARY METCALF, who died March 22, 1855; married (2), February, 1856, LAURA ELIZA BIGELOW, daughter of Dr. L. B. Bigelow. She died April 2, 1873. Mr. Angel was a lawyer, and figured much in politics; he held several public positions. When Washington Hunt was elected governor of New York, Mr. Angel was a candidate for a State office on the opposition ticket and received the largest vote of any candidate at that election, being elected by more than 10,000 majority. He died several years since.

Three children by first wife.

Five children:

102. FRANKLIN METCALF ANGEL.

- 103. MARY CATHERINE ANGEL.
- 104. HARRIET ANGEL.
- 105. CHARLOTTE ANGEL, d. 3 mos. old.
- 106. ALICE ANGEL.

56. ABEL ENGLISH³ ANGEL (*Clarissa⁴, Abel², John², Richard¹*).

Born March 4, 1832; married, Sept. 22, 1852, HARRIET RATHBURN, of Angelica, N.Y. Mr. Angel has changed his residence often, residing in many places in the Western country. He lived several years at Wallace, Idaho, where he was a justice of the peace; supposed to now reside somewhere in Texas.

Five children:

- 107. LEWIS S. ANGEL, b. May 13, 1855; m. (1), Sept. 13, 1882, Jessie Turnbull, who d. Dec. 13, 1883; m. (2), June 27, 1887, Julia Davis, a widow, mother of the wife of his brother William.
- 108. CLARA ANGEL, b. Oct. 2, 1858.
- 109. JENNIE ANGEL, b. March 23, 1862; m., March 23, 1883, E. A. Cunningham.
- 110. WILLIAM J. ANGEL, b. March 10, 1864; m., June 1, 1887, Neonetta M. Davis, dau. by a former husband of the wife of his brother Lewis.
- 111. ANNA ENGLISH ANGEL, b. Nov. 9, 1870.

57. HEBER REGINALD³ ANGEL (*Clarissa⁴, Abel², John², Richard¹*).

Born Aug. 14, 1834; married (1), Nov. 3, 1853, JANE MORSE, born Feb. 4, 1836, and died July 22, 1889; married (2), Dec. 16, 1891, MARY J. HODGKIN, *née* PARKS, born Feb. 13, 1845. Mr. Angel is a farmer and resides at Cumberland, Wis.

Six children:

- 112. CHARLES W. ANGEL, b. March 20, 1855; m. Cadice Rose.

- 113. WILLIAM G. ANGEL, b. Nov. 15, 1856; m. Ella Dunham.
- 114. EDWARD J. ANGEL, b. Aug. 25, 1858; m. Emily Savaria.
- 115. EMILY ANN ANGEL, b. Aug. 13, 1860; m. K. M. Whitaker.
- 116. CLINTON I. ANGEL, b. June 1, 1869; m. Lulu Tatro.
- 117. IDA CURRIE ANGEL, b. Feb. 24, 1876.

58. JAMES ROSE⁵ ANGEL (*Clarissa⁴, Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born Feb. 12, 1836; married, May 25, 1871, ADALINE LOUISE BIGELOW, born May 19, 1844. He died Oct. 4, 1899. Mr. Angel was a prominent lawyer in New York City, and for six years judge of one of the courts. He was a man of fine perceptibility, of literary tastes, and of very generous impulses. Few men live more respected or die more regretted. His residence for many years and at the time of his death was at Morrisania, one of the suburbs of New York City.

Four children:

- 118. EMILY PAMELIA ANGEL, b. Nov. 28, 1874; d. same day.
- 119. WILLIAM PITT ANGEL, b. Nov. 19, 1876; d. April 7, 1882.
- 120. CLARISSA LOUISE ANGEL, b. Jan. 30, 1880. In 1895 one of the large New York papers offered three prizes for original poems written by persons who had not passed their eighteenth birthday. The first prize was awarded to Miss Angel, then aged fifteen.
- 121. MARY ALICE ANGEL, b. Oct. 7, 1883.

59. TEXAS⁵ ANGEL (*Clarissa⁴, Abel³, John², Richard¹*).

Born Oct. 19, 1839; married, May 25, 1870, MARY ELIZABETH GOODRICH, born June 21, 1849, daughter of Dwight and Mary (Dunham) Goodrich. Mr. Angel served in the Thirteenth Regiment New York Infantry in the Civil war. Resides at Hailey, Idaho, where he is a lawyer

in high standing. In 1897 the Populists in the Legislature at one time gave him their vote for United States Senator.

Three children:

- 122. RICHARD MARVIN ANGEL, b. Sept. 24, 1871; m., Aug. 22, 1895, Lucy Wilhelmina Walters, b. Sept. 26, 1873, dau. of Prussian parents, each having a string of names too long to be given here.
- 123. MARY GOODRICH ANGEL, b. Aug. 20, 1873.
- 124. LLOYD DWIGHT ANGEL, b. Dec. 2, 1882.

THE NEWCOMB FAMILY.

The Newcombs are traced back in the records of England to the twelfth century. Originally the name was Newcomen. Mr. John B. Newcomb, of Elgin, Ill., has published a genealogy of the family in this country, which shows great research and from which many facts here given of the early members have been taken. Several of the Newcombs of England had coats of arms bestowed upon them, but whether or not the progenitor in this country was a descendant of one of those thus honored Mr. Newcomb in his book says "has not been determined *positively*."

1. CAPT. ANDREW NEWCOMB.

Progenitor of the chief Newcomb family in this country; had descendant who married John English, and thus the Newcomb, English, and Hodge families became allied; is supposed to have emigrated to this country from the west of England, Devonshire or Monmouth, or possibly from Wales. As he had a child born in 1640 or there-

abouts, it is presumed he was born before 1620. He is first mentioned in this country as being in Boston, Mass., in 1663, at which time he married a widow, GRACE RICKS, who became his second wife.

By his first wife he had certainly two children, and by his second wife one, a daughter. Mr. Newcomb made his will Jan. 31, 1683, and it was entered for probate in Boston, Dec. 8, 1686, about which time he is supposed to have died. In his will his wife Grace and two grandchildren only are mentioned.

Three children:

2. ANDREW NEWCOMB, b. prob. 1640.
3. SUSANNA NEWCOMB, m. (1) Philip Blague, of Boston; m. (2) a Pritchard; had a number of children.
4. GRACE NEWCOMB, b. Oct. 20, 1654; m. (1) James Butler, of Boston; m. (2) Andrew Rankin. She d. August, 1713; had four children.

2. ANDREW² NEWCOMB (*Andrew*¹).

Born prob. 1640; married (1), about 1661, SARAH, who died about 1674; married (2), in 1676, ANNA BAYES, born about 1658, and died in 1731, daughter of Captain Thomas Bayes. Mr. Newcomb lived for a time on "Hog Island," so called on account of its being shaped like a hog's back, one of the Shoals islands, nine miles southeast from Portsmouth, N.H. About 1675 he moved to Edgartown on Martha's Vineyard Island. Here he was a "proprietor," and several times shared in land divisions. He held many positions of trust, and evidently was a man who stood high in the community. April 19, 1691, he was chosen a lieutenant in the militia, and the same year was placed in command of the fortifications on the island. It is said that the present court-house in Edgartown stands

on land he once owned. By his first wife he had seven children, and by his second eight. For names of children see Newcomb genealogy. His third son was:

5. SIMON NEWCOMB, b. 1666.

5. SIMON³ NEWCOMB (*Andrew², Andrew¹*).

Born 1666 at Kittery, Me., or on "Hog Island;" married, about 1687, prob. DEBORAH, born 1665 and died June 17, 1756. He died Jan. 20, 1745. Mr. Newcomb lived in Edgartown until 1713, when he moved to Lebanon, Conn., where he resided the remainder of his life. Sept. 26, 1711, he purchased in Lebanon 160 acres of land, "with buildings, orchards, gardens, fences, stuff, and fruit trees thereon." At the same time he bought 50 acres common right and 20 acres common at the village, the whole costing him £290. He soon became one of the prominent men of the town and held many public positions. Mr. Newcomb lived to the age of 79, and his wife is supposed to have attained the age of 92. Tombstones in the old Lebanon cemetery mark the places of their burial. They had about twelve children, the eldest being:

6. JOHN NEWCOMB, b. abt. 1688.

6. JOHN⁴ NEWCOMB (*Simon³, Andrew², Andrew¹*).

Born about 1688; married, Sept. 23, 1709, ALICE LOMBARD, or LUMBERT, born Oct. 19, 1686, daughter of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Eddy) Lombard, married Dec. 11, 1683, and granddaughter of Joshua and Abigail (Linnell) Lombard, married May 27, 1651. Mr. Newcomb moved from Edgartown to Lebanon probably the same year as his father or about that time. March 20, 1715, he became a member of the First Church in Lebanon, and

later upon the organization of the Second Church he became its first deacon, which position he held forty-two years. He was the largest tax-payer but one in the parish. In the summer of 1760 he moved to Cornwallis, Nova Scotia, where he died Feb. 22, 1765. Mrs. Newcomb died Jan. 8, 1767. The cause of Mr. Newcomb's changing his residence in his old age must be found in the fact that he had a large family of children and hoped by the change to enter a field better calculated for their good. (See note below, "The Acadian Emigration.") A correspondent of Mr. Newcomb, the genealogist, says, "The descendants of Deacon John were persons of strict uprightness, stern integrity, and unflinching perseverance." The old farm in Cornwallis which Deacon John owned is still in the possession of the family, and a few years since was owned by Deacon John Samuel Newcomb.

THE ACADIAN EMIGRATION.

Nova Scotia, by the French called Acadia, was settled by the French in 1604 and ceded to the English in 1713. The French, having lost Acadia, settled the island of Cape Breton, but many remained in Nova Scotia, where they were known as "neutral French." Those of Cape Breton by their intrigues with the Indians were very annoying to the English, blame was also attached to those remaining in Nova Scotia, and the English about 1750 sought to colonize the island with English.

In 1755 the governor and his council finally determined to drive the French entirely out of the province, and some seven thousand of the people were compelled to leave. Some authorities make the number less and some much greater. Buildings and crops were destroyed, while the people hastily fled to other parts. The French being driven from the country, one hundred thousand acres were offered to English or American colonists upon most advantageous terms. A large company consisting of more than thirty heads of families was organized in Lebanon, Conn., and the whole body moved to King's County on the island. Deacon John Newcomb, John English, and Ezekiel Caulkins were among the number. The first two were already allied by marriage and the third became so by the marriage in Nova Scotia, in 1757, of Abel English and Anna Caulkins. Soon after the close of the Revolutionary war the English and Caulkins families returned to Lebanon, Conn.

Eight children:

7. CATHERINE NEWCOMB, b. May 21, 1710; m. Noah, son of George and Sarah Webster.
8. ALICE NEWCOMB, b. March 24, 1712; m. Jonathan Marsh.
9. EDDY NEWCOMB, b. Sept. 23, 1713; m. Abigail English, sister of John English (see English Family, No. 8, and Newcomb Family, No. 10).
10. ABIGAIL NEWCOMB, b. Nov. 16, 1715; m. John English (see English Family, No. 5, and trace to Sophia English, No. 24).
11. ABRAHAM NEWCOMB, b. July 22, 1718; d. May 10, 1732.
12. JOHN NEWCOMB, b. July 29, 1720; m. (1) Mercy Barnaby; m. (2) Deborah Miller.
13. JONATHAN NEWCOMB, b. Aug. 21, 1722; m. Deborah Tupper.
14. JACOB NEWCOMB, b. Oct. 10, 1724; m. Elizabeth Hamilton.

THE CAULKINS FAMILY.

1. HUGH CAULKINS.

Born in 1600; m. ANN, of whom no more is known than her given name. He died in 1690, "aged 90." Mr. Caulkins emigrated to this country in 1640 from Monmouth, England, on the border of Wales. It is supposed that he was a Welshman. In the old records the name is usually spelled Calkins. Reaching this country, he first lived at Marshfield, then Lynn, then Gloucester, in Massachusetts, and then moved to Connecticut. Here he lived for a time in New London, and then finally settled at Norwich.

He was a deputy to the General Court during twelve sessions, and held various other civil trusts. The Norwich records show that he was a deacon in the church at

that place. Evidently, as shown by early records, he was a man of little education, but was blessed with a large supply of good common sense. Be it said to his credit that he gave to his children the best education the times would afford. Three and perhaps more of his children came with him from the old country.

Six children :

2. SARAH CAULKINS, m., Oct. 28, 1645. William Hough.
3. MARY CAULKINS, m., Nov. 8, 1649. Hugh Roberts.
4. JOHN CAULKINS, b. probably about 1633.
5. DAVID CAULKINS, m. Mary Bliss, daughter of Thomas Bliss, of Norwalk; he d. Nov. 25, 1717; had nine children.
6. DEBORAH CAULKINS, b. March 18, 1645; m., 1660, Jonathan Royce, of Saybrook, Conn.
7. REBECCA CAULKINS, d. March 14, 1651.

4. JOHN² CAULKINS (*Hugh*¹).

Born in England, probably about 1633; married, in 1658, SARAH ROYCE, daughter of Robert Royce, of Boston in 1631, who afterwards settled in New London, Conn., and there became a representative, standing, as Savage says, in "good repute." How changed! The legislator of the present day is not given such praise. Mr. Caulkins, 1660, became one of the first proprietors of Norwich, Conn. He was a representative to the General Court eleven sessions. He died Jan. 8, 1703, and his wife in May, 1711.

Eight children :

8. HUGH CAULKINS, b. June, 1659; m. (1), May, 1689, Sarah Sluman, daughter of Thomas Sluman; m. (2) Lois Standish.
9. JOHN CAULKINS, b. July, 1661; m., Oct. 23, 1690, Abigail Birchard, daughter of John Birchard.

10. SAMUEL CAULKINS, b. Oct., 1663.
11. SARAH CAULKINS, b. June, 1666; m., 1684, Thomas Baldwin.
12. DANIEL CAULKINS, b. 1667; d. early.
13. MARY CAULKINS, b. May, 1667; m. Samuel Gifford.
14. ELIZABETH CAULKINS, b. April, 1673; m. Samuel Hyde.
15. ANN CAULKINS, b. Aug. 16, 1678; m., probably, Samuel Burchard.

10. SAMUEL³ CAULKINS (*John*², *Hugh*¹).

Born October, 1663; married, November, 1691, HANNAH GIFFORD, born Jan. 17, 1671, daughter of Stephen Gifford, one of the original proprietors of Norwich, Conn., who married, May, 1667, Hannah Gove. Mr. Caulkins was a mariner; resided first in Norwich, where three eldest children were born, and then in Lebanon, to which place he moved about 1697, and where he died.

Eight children:

16. JOHN CAULKINS, b. 1693.
17. HANNAH CAULKINS, b. 1694.
18. RUTH CAULKINS, b. 1695.
19. SAMUEL CAULKINS, b. 1699.
20. NATHANIEL CAULKINS, b. 1703; d. soon.
21. STEPHEN CAULKINS, b. 1706.
22. NATHANIEL CAULKINS, b. 1710.
23. AQUILA CAULKINS, b. 1711; d. 1729.

16. JOHN⁴ CAULKINS (*Samuel*³, *John*², *Hugh*¹).

Born 1693; married (1), Nov. 5, 1719, CATHARINE FOSTER, b. Aug. 21, 1696; married (2), June 20, 1743, ELIZABETH CURTIS. The first wife was of somewhat noted ancestors. Daniel Foster, her father, was a son of Isaac, who was a son of Reginald Foster, an emigrant to this country who in 1638 settled at Ipswich, Mass., and

there died in 1681. Reginald belonged to the Foster family of Bamborough and Etherstone Castle in Northumberland, England.

The Fosters, or Forsters, as originally called, distinguished themselves in war against the foes of the Scots, and were remembered by the king in the bestowal of a crest and coat of arms which now belongs to Reginald Foster's descendants. The Foster family is mentioned by Sir Walter Scott in his "Lay of the Last Minstrel," and also in his "Marmion." Mr. Caulkins resided in Lebanon, Conn., but being a mariner was at home but little of his time. The records of that town give the name as "Cal-kin." Probably had other children than here named.

Seven children:

24. DANIEL CAULKINS
25. SOLOMON CAULKINS, b. April 4, 1724.
26. HANNAH CAULKINS, b. May 26, 1726.
27. EZEKIEL CAULKINS, b. Nov. 4, 1728.
28. ISRAEL CAULKINS, b. June 8, 1731.
29. ELIZABETH CAULKINS, b. Sept. 14, 1733.
30. SIMEON CAULKINS, b. June 10, 1736.

27. EZEKIEL^s CAULKINS (*Johnⁱ, Samuelⁱ, John², Hugh¹*).

Born Nov. 4, 1728; married (1), Dec. 22, 1748, ANNA DEWEY, born Oct. 23, 1727, and died about 1770; daughter of John Dewey. (Dewey Family, No. 22.) Married (2), about 1772, while living in Cornwallis, Nova Scotia, to which place he moved in 1761. Prior to his residence in Cornwallis he lived in Connecticut, probably in Essex, as the records of that town give the names and dates of birth of his children. (See "The Acadian Emigration.")

After the Revolutionary war, probably in 1788, he re-

turned to Connecticut and settled in Lebanon. He was a mariner.

Three children:

31. EUNICE CAULKINS, b. Oct. 10, 1749.
32. "ALEISA" (PIOL. ELEAZUR) CAULKINS, b. Dec. 11, 1752.
33. ANNA CAULKINS, b. Sept. 2, 1753. (See English Family, Nos. 15 and 21, and Hodge Family, No. 275.)

THE DEWEY FAMILY.

The Dewey family becomes allied with the English, Caulkins, and Hodge families by the marriage of Anna Dewey to Ezekiel Caulkins, whose daughter Anna married Abel English, and had Sophia who married Alfred Hodge. By tracing the Dewey line it will be found that Josiah Dewey, a grandparent of Admiral George Dewey, of Manila naval battle fame, in the sixth ancestral generation was a grandparent in the fifth generation of the children of Alfred and Sophia (English) Hodge. He was also a lineal ancestor of Abel and Anna (Caulkins) English and their descendants.

1. THOMAS DEWEY.

Born, it is supposed, between the years 1600 and 1610. In 1633 he emigrated to this country from Sandwich, near the ancient town of Dover, Kent County, England. May 14, 1634, he became a freeman at Dorchester, Mass. In 1635 he sold his "house and lands" in Dorchester to Richard Jones, the deed being, it is said, a very "quaint document." Soon after disposing of his property

in Dorchester he is supposed to have moved to Windsor, Conn.

There, March 22, 1639, he married FRANCES CLARK, widow of Joseph Clark, by whom she had Mary Clark, who in 1656 married John Strong, Jr., son of Elder John Strong, of Windsor. At Windsor Mr. Dewey was frequently a juror, and evidently stood well in the community. He was buried April 27, 1648. Nov. 30, 1648, the widow married a third time, taking for a husband George Phelps, who about 1668 moved to Westfield, Mass. Two of Mr. Dewey's sons had located there in 1666, and the other children went there with their mother. Mr. Phelps died May 8, 1687, and Mrs. Phelps died Sept. 27, 1690. By Dewey she had five children and by Phelps three, making the whole number of her children by the three husbands nine, seven sons and two daughters. By Mr. Dewey she had the following:

Five children:

2. THOMAS DEWEY, b. Feb. 16, 1640; m., June 1, 1663, Constance Hawes, dau. of Richard Hawes; had eleven children; he d. April 27, 1690-1.
3. JOSIAH DEWEY, bap. Oct. 10, 1641.
4. ANNA DEWEY, bap., Oct. 15, 1643; m., Aug. 18, 1761, Henry Woodward, of Northampton, Mass., and had son John who m. Experience Baldwin, whose daughter Experience Woodward m. John⁴ Dewey (see No. 19).
5. ISRAEL DEWEY, b. Sept. 25, 1645; m., Aug. 28, 1668, Abigail, dau. of Job Drake.
6. JEDEDIAH DEWEY, b. Dec. 15, 1647; m., in 1671, Sarah Orton, of Farmington, Conn., who d. Nov. 25, 1711. He d. Jan. 26, 1719; had eight children, among them Ensign Jedediah, Jr., b. June 14, 1676, whose descendants are numerous.

3. JOSIAH² DEWEY (*Thomas*¹).

Baptized Oct. 10, 1641; married, Nov. 6, 1662, HEPZIBAH LYMAN (see foot-note), born about 1644 and died June 4, 1732; dau. of Richard and Hepzibah (Ford) Lyman, of Northampton, Mass. She joined the Westfield church Jan. 1, 1680. About 1670 removed from Northampton to Westfield, Mass. In 1696 he was residing in Lebanon, Conn., where he died Sept. 7, 1732 (see Dewey Genealogy). Mr. Dewey had four children born at Northampton, and in Westfield, as is supposed, seven. (Westfield, Mass., Rec. gives last seven.)

Eleven children:

7. HEPZIBAH DEWEY, b. Oct. 9, 1663.
8. MARY DEWEY, b. Oct. 16, 1665; d. Jan. 11, 1666.
9. JOSIAH DEWEY, b. Dec. 24, 1666.
10. JOHN DEWEY, b. Feb. 9, 1669.
11. NATHANIEL DEWEY, b. Feb. 20, 1672.
12. EBENEZER DEWEY, b. Feb. 20, 1672.
13. JOSEPH DEWEY, b. Aug. 11, 1674; d. June, 1675.
14. ELIZABETH DEWEY, b. July 10, 1677.

NOTE. — Mr. Browning in his "Americans of Royal Descent" says of Josiah Dewey, son of Thomas the emigrant:

"He married, in 1662, Hepzibah Lyman. Hepzibah Lyman was the daughter of Richard Lyman, of Windsor, Conn., who died in 1662. Richard Lyman was the sixth in descent from Elizabeth Lambert, who married Thomas Lyman, of Navistoke, Essex, England, who died in 1509. Elizabeth was the daughter of Henry Lambert, of Ongar, Essex, who was the seventeenth in descent from Princess Edgina, the granddaughter of Alfred, and the daughter of King Edward the Elder.

"She after the death of her first husband, Charles III., of France, married Henry, third Count de Vermandois and Troyes. Her granddaughter married the son of Henry I., of France, and their son, Robert, was the first Earl of Leicester. Robert's great-granddaughter married the first Earl of Winchester, and her granddaughter married a descendant of Donalbane, King of Scotland.

"Seventh in descent from this last couple was the Robert Lambert referred to, and from his daughter descended the Richard Lyman who was father to Hepzibah."

15. JOSEPH DEWEY, b. April 9, 1682.
16. EXPERIENCE DEWEY, b. April 9, 1682.
17. BENJAMIN DEWEY, b. July 8, 1685; d. July 13, 1685.

9. JOSIAH² DEWEY (*Josiah², Thomas¹*).

Born Dec. 24, 1666; married, Jan. 15, 1691, MEHITABLE MILLER, born July 10, 1666, at Northampton, Mass., daughter of William and Patience Miller, of Ipswich. Mr. Dewey was a farmer and resided in Lebanon, Conn., where he was born.

Four children:

18. WILLIAM DEWEY, b. Jan., 1692; d. Nov. 10, 1759. The line of descent from William to Admiral George Dewey, who, May 1, 1898, gained the naval victory over the Spanish squadron in Manila Bay, is as follows:

SIMEON DEWEY, of Lebanon, Conn., b. May 1, 1712; d. March 2, 1751.

WILLIAM DEWEY, of Hanover, N.H., b. Jan. 11, 1746; d. June 10, 1813.

SIMEON DEWEY, of Berlin, Vt., b. Aug. 20, 1770; d. Jan. 11, 1863.

JULIUS Y. DEWEY, of Montpelier, Vt., b. Aug. 22, 1801; d. May 29, 1877.

ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY, of Montpelier, Vt., b. Dec. 26, 1837.

19. JOHN DEWEY, b. Dec. 4, 1700.

20. MARY DEWEY, b. Oct. 24, 1704.

21. MEHITABEL DEWEY, b. June 29, 1706.

19. JOHN¹ DEWEY (*Josiah², Josiah¹, Thomas¹*).

Born Dec. 4, 1700; married, Nov. 20, 1726, EXPERIENCE WOODWARD, born Aug. 10, 1704, daughter of John and Experience (Baldwin) Woodward. This John Woodward, born April 2, 1674, was a son of Henry Woodward, of Northampton, Mass., who married, Aug. 18, 1671, Ann (No. 4), daughter of Thomas Dewey, of Windsor.

Conn. Thus the descendants of John and Experience Dewey have a dual or double Dewey ancestry. Mr. Dewey was a farmer, and in 1741 a small office-holder. He resided in Lebanon, Conn., and there died Sept. 4, 1773. She died in 1801.

Seven children:

22. ANNA DEWEY, b. Oct. 23, 1727. (See Caulkins Family, No. 27, English Family, Nos. 15 and 24, and Hodge Family, No. 275.)
23. DANIEL DEWEY, b. June 19, 1731; m., Feb. 22, 1753, Temperance Bailey. He served as a captain in the Revolutionary war.
24. JOSIAH DEWEY, b. Sept. 9, 1734; d. Nov. 21, 1734.
25. JOHN DEWEY, b. Dec. 12, 1735; in French war; on muster roll at Montreal, Sept. 4, 1760. (See Ancient Windsor, p. 347.)
26. MARY DEWEY, b. Jan. 18, 1739.
27. EXPERIENCE DEWEY, b. Jan. 26, 1740; m., April 9, 1767, Oliver Griswold.
28. ISRAEL DEWEY, b. Nov. 29, 1742; d. May 12, 1806.
29. JOSHUA DEWEY, b. Dec. 29, 1743.

THE SHEDD FAMILY.

DANIEL¹ SHED (or SHEDD, as the name is now generally spelled).

Born between the years 1620 and 1625, and married (1) MARY; married (2) ELIZABETH, who died Jan. 17, 1700. He was a resident of Braintree, Mass., in 1646, and about 1660 moved to Billerica, in that State, where he died July 27, 1708. There is little doubt that he came from England. By his first wife he had seven children, and by his second four children. His eighth child and

fourth son was SAMUEL² SHED, born Aug. 13, 1660, at Billerica. Samuel had for wife Elizabeth, by whom he had ten children. The fifth child and third son was JONATHAN³ SHED, born Sept. 16, 1696, at Chelmsford, Mass. He married, April 3, 1722, Sarah Barron or Sarah Farnsworth. The Groton, Mass., records in one place say he married, at the date above given, Sarah Barron, and in another place she is called Sarah Farnsworth. Possibly she was a widow and thus has come the conflict in names. Jonathan had seven children, the sixth being OLIVER⁴ SHED, born Feb. 1, 1739, of Groton. He married, March 30, 1763, Mary Shed, born Aug. 12, 1743, daughter of Daniel Shed and Mary (Tarbell) Shed, and granddaughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Shed of the second generation. Oliver and Mary had six children, the third of whom was ABIJAH⁵ SHED, born Oct. 25, 1768, of Groton. He married, Nov. 15, 1792, Joanna Farley, born March 22, 1770, daughter of Lieut. Ebenezer and Betty (Wheeler) Farley and granddaughter of Benjamin and Joanna (Page) Farley, who was a descendant of George Farley, of Rowley, Mass., the first of the Farley family in this country; and also of Nathaniel Page, of Rowley, through his son Christopher. He had eight children, the first of whom was ABIJAH⁶ SHED, JR., born April 12, 1794, Hollis, N.H.; married, April 13, 1815, Sophia Blood, born Nov. 24, 1798, of Hollis, daughter of Jonas and Priscilla (Blood) Blood, a descendant of Richard and Isabel Blood, of Groton, who emigrated to this country at an early date. Mr. Shed, so far as is known, was the first of this family to write his name with two d's, — Shedd, — which mode of spelling the name has been followed by all of his descendants. He died Sept. 3, 1868, and she died May 17, 1855. They had eight children, the

seventh of whom was EDMOND EARL.⁷ SHEDD, born July 16, 1828; married, Jan. 18, 1852, Aurelia Edna Thompson, born Jan. 22, 1834, daughter of James McMillan and Sarah (Hazell) Thompson, granddaughter of John and Sarah (McMillan) Thompson and of Abraham and Katherine (Taylor) Hazell; the great-granddaughter of James and Sarah (Wood) Thompson and of James and Jean (Matthews) McMillan; and also a great-granddaughter of Henry and Sarah (Johnson) Hazell and of Fenwick and Experience (Robinson*) Taylor. The Thompsons were English Quakers from Yorkshire, England, and came to this country with "Fenwick's Colony," which settled in New Jersey in 1677. Mr. Shedd is a resident of Columbus, O., where for nearly half a century he has been the head of a large wholesale grocery firm.

He has had seven children, as follows:

VIRGINIA SOPHIA⁸ SHEDD, b. Jan. 23, 1854; m., April 25, 1882, Orlando J. Hodge (No. 605).

FRANKLIN JAMES SHEDD, m. Anne Marie Frisbie.

FLORA THOMPSON SHEDD, d. May 17, 1890.

EDMOND EARL SHEDD, m. Ella Somers Lansing.

FREDERICK FARLEY SHEDD, m. Agnes Jeffrey.

HARRY HAZELL SHEDD, d. Jan. 7, 1897.

CARLOS BUTLER SHEDD.

NOTE. — Joseph Shed, of Boston, a descendant of Daniel Shed, the progenitor of this family in America, was one of the "Indians" of the so-called "Boston tea-party," who, Dec. 16, 1773, threw the tea into the sea at Boston.

Ten certainly, and perhaps more, of the direct lineal ancestors of Edmond Earl and Aurelia Edna (Thompson) Shedd served in the Revolutionary war. Furthermore, it may be said that full forty of the descendants of Daniel Shed, the pioneer, served in the great conflict for liberty and independence.

*The Robinson line runs thus: Nicholas¹ Robinson, Nicholas, Jr.², Rev. John³ (of "blessed memory," who went to Holland with the "Pilgrims"), his son, Isaac⁴ (the emigrant), Peter⁵, Peter, Jr.⁶, who m., June 20, 1725, Ruth, dau. Samuel and Elizabeth (Thatcher) Fuller, and had *Experience*⁷, b. April 22, 1728.

HISTORICAL INCIDENTS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

CAPTURE OF ABIGAIL ALLIS.

Sept. 19, 1677, a year after the close of King Philip's War and the death of that renowned chief, the people of Hatfield, Mass., while rejoicing in peace and repairing their fortunes from the losses they had sustained in the several engagements had with the Indians during the war, were again horrified by the savage war-whoop sounding in their midst. About eleven o'clock in the morning of that day, some fifty Indians from Canada, led by Ashpelon, their chief, encouraged by the French, entered the town while the men were mostly at work in a distant field harvesting corn; they set fire to many of the buildings, struck down with remorseless fury all who offered any resistance or attempted to escape, and made captive seventeen men, women, and children, whom they hastily carried away to Canada. One of the men captured was burned at the stake, a little four-year-old girl and a boy of nine were killed after reaching Canada, and all endured terrible sufferings. Among the children taken into captivity was Abigail Allis, a six-year-old daughter of Captain John Allis, who, after an absence of nine months, was ransomed with the other prisoners and restored to her home. In 1696 she married EPHRAIM WELLES, and had son Ephraim, whose daughter Lydia in 1751 married BENJAMIN HODGE (see Hodge Family, No. 49).

CAPTURE OF HANNAH DUSTIN.

THOMAS DUSTIN (of Haverhill, Mass.).

Son of Thomas Dustin, Sr.; married, Dec. 3, 1677, HANNAH EMERSON, b. Dec. 23, 1637, eldest of fifteen children of Michael and Hannah (Webster) Emerson. In 1697 the Dustins were living in Haverhill, Mass.

Twelve children had been born to them; one born later:

1. HANNAH DUSTIN, b. Aug. 22, 1679.
2. ELIZABETH DUSTIN, b. May 7, 1680.
3. MARY DUSTIN, b. Nov. 4, 1681; d. Oct. 18, 1696.
4. THOMAS DUSTIN, b. Jan. 5, 1683.
5. NATHANIEL DUSTIN, b. May 16, 1685.
6. JOHN DUSTIN, b. Feb. 2, 1686; d. Jan. 28, 1690.
7. SARAH DUSTIN, b. July 4, 1688.
8. ABIGAIL DUSTIN, b. Oct., 1690.
9. JONATHAN DUSTIN, b. Jan. 15, 1692.
10. TIMOTHY DUSTIN, b. Sept. 14, 1694.
11. MEHITABLE DUSTIN, b. Sept. 14, 1694; d. Dec. 16, 1694.
12. MARTHA DUSTIN, b. March 9, 1697; killed by Indians March 15, 1697.
13. LYDIA DUSTIN, b. Oct. 4, 1698.

March 15, 1697, about twenty Indians appeared at Haverhill, burned a number of buildings, and killed or made captive thirty-nine of the inhabitants. Among the captives were Mrs. Hannah Dustin and Mrs. Mary Neff, a widow, who was serving as a nurse in the Dustin family, a child having been born to Mrs. Dustin six days before. Mrs. Neff attempted to escape with the babe, but was overtaken, the child snatched from her arms and its brains knocked out against a tree. Mrs. Dustin was compelled to leave her bed and accompany the savages. Mr. Dustin

hastened away with his children and with his rifle kept the Indians at bay until they escaped to a place of safety. Mrs. Dustin and Mrs. Neff, on the day of their capture, were obliged to travel some ten miles. They were ultimately taken to an island in the Merrimac river above Concord, N.H., one hundred and fifty miles north from Haverhill.

The Indian family that laid claim to them, and which had separated from others of the party, consisted of twelve persons — two full-grown men, three women, and seven younger persons.

The Indians had with them another captive, a young man about seventeen years of age, who had been with the Indians nearly a year, and had learned something of their language.

Mrs. Dustin learned, through this boy, that when they reached an Indian village she and Mrs. Neff would be stripped and made to run the gauntlet; that is, made to run between two files of Indians, while each Indian would have the privilege of striking them with some instrument of torture. On the 31st of March, just before the break of day, the three captives, having armed themselves with hatchets, attacked the Indians as they lay sleeping. Mrs. Dustin quickly dispatched the chief of the party, while the captive boy killed the other man, who a short time previous had instructed him just where to strike a person to kill him quickest. One of the women left for dead survived, and a small boy ran away to the woods. The other ten Indians were killed and scalped. It is said Mrs. Ruth Carter Rowell, of Bath, Vt., has the cloth in which Mrs. Dustin wrapped these scalps. All of the canoes but one were now scuttled and sunk. In the one canoe left, some provisions and the ten scalps were placed. In it the three captives

made their escape down the river, and after much suffering and hardship finally reached Haverhill. A stone monument, consisting of a life-size statue of Mrs. Dustin, raised some eight feet, now marks the spot where the Dustin house was burned. Samuel Hodge, born Oct. 4, 1686 (No. 12), had for wife "Sarah," and a traditionary claim has been made that she was Sarah Dustin, born July 4, 1688, daughter of Hannah Dustin, but no record has been found to warrant such a conclusion. At a later date, however, the Dustin and Hodge families became allied by marriage. (See Hodge family, Nos. 108 and 207.)

THE STORY OF A BELL.

THE FIRST BELL IN THE NEW HAVEN COLONY.

The Rev. Dr. Bacon, of New Haven, Conn., in a "Historical Discourse" delivered by him some years since while pastor of a church in that city, related the following facts in regard to the purchase of the first bell in the New Haven Colony:

"In April, 1681, there being a bell brought in a vessel into the harbor, it was spoken of and generally it was desired that it might be procured for the town, and for the present it was desired that Mr. Thomas Trowbridge would if he can prevail with Mr. Hodge, the owner of it, to leave it with him until the town hath had some further consideration about it. In August the owner of the bell had sent to have it brought to the bay in Joseph Alsop's vessel, and it having lain so long it would not be handsome to put it off.' Thereupon 'after a free and long

debate,' it was voted that the bell be purchased Price, £17. In April, 1682, the town was informed that the bell was now 'hanged in the turret' of the meeting-house, and in November the townsmen had agreed with George Pardee for his son Joseph to ring the bell for the town's occasions on the Sabbaths and other meetings as it was wont to be by the drum, and also to ring the bell at nine o'clock every night.

"In 1686 the bell was sent to England to be new cast and made bigger for the town use, Mr. Simeon Eyre offering to carry it out and back, freight free. The bell was brought back and finally sold by the town for the State House, and when the State House was torn down the bell was stored in the basement of the new State House, about 1829. After a while some boys got it out and, ringing it, broke it, and probably, as it was of some value as old metal, it may have been recast into another bell and may now be doing use somewhere."

STORY OF THE THIMBLE.

In the town of Rumney, Grafton County, N.H., about 1800, there was a widower named Kimball and a widow named Willoughby who married; each by their first marriage had a daughter. One of these daughters lost her thimble, and the other finding it, for "safety," or perhaps through girlish mischief, put it in a sack of grain. Another girl, Azubah Hodge, living in the family took the sack of grain to mill to have it ground.

The miller, Deacon Bascom, emptied the contents of the sack into the hopper, and soon the grain and thimble

were ground together. Thus the good deacon and the three girls were associated together in the loss and destruction of the thimble.

A local poet of the day put the event into rhyme in the following stanza (see Azubah Hodge, page 57):

“Susie Kimball lost her thimble,
Betsey Willoughby found it;
Azubah Hodge carried it to mill,
And Deacon Bascom ground it.”

A WEDDING-TRIP — 1820.

Mr. Alfred Hodge (see page 99), of Buffalo, N.Y., and Miss Sophia English, of Hamburg, a town adjoining, were married in the spring of 1820. They soon started on a trip up the lake, to Mackinaw, Mich., which was to be their future home, then in the “far West.” At that time there were no railroads in the country, and but one steamboat — the “Walk in the Water” — on the Lakes. The events of the journey appear to have been, each day, noted down by Mrs. Hodge, and now, after eighty years have passed, her manuscript, yellow with age, comes to light, and affords somewhat interesting reading. Something is shown of the country along the Lakes, and the difficulty then in travelling.

Says Mrs. Hodge:

“May 15, Monday, 10 P.M., we left Mrs. Gillet’s, in the village of Buffalo, and went on board the ‘Beaver,’ Captain Wright, bound for Michilimacinac, far to the west, in Territory of Michigan. About 1 A.M. the next morning we set sail for Erie, and on the 17th, about two hours be-

fore daylight, crossed the sand bar at the harbor entrance. I was seasick from the time I went on board the vessel until I got to Erie. Erie is not a very flourishing-looking place for one that has been settled so long. Thursday, the 18th, in company with Alfred, took a long walk about the village. Lay in the basin until Friday, the 19th, when we set sail for Detroit. In starting out of the basin, our vessel got on to the sand bar, and we were detained from 11 until about 3 P.M.

"Saturday, the 20th, we passed Ashtabula, Chagrin, Cuyahoga, and several other small rivers. As we passed Cleveland we could see a few houses in the woods, high up on the bank of the lake. They looked very pretty, and gave us a good impression of the place. Sunday, the 21st, passed the islands in Lake Erie. The islands are about forty miles from Detroit. We sailed very slowly during the night. Monday, the 22d, in the afternoon, we arrived at Malden, Canada, a beautiful and flourishing town. Here about half a mile from the Detroit river, the wind having gone down, we came to anchor. Tuesday, A.M., on the 23d, we had a fair wind, and sailed into Detroit about noon. Detroit river is a beautiful stream. Along its banks saw some orchards and fine buildings.

"The village of Detroit is very pretty, but the buildings are not as large as some in Buffalo. Wednesday, the 24th, Alfred and I took a walk through the place, and from a high point had a fine view of a village in Canada, called Sandwich.

"Thursday, the 25th, we had head winds, and could not leave. Friday, the 26th, as we were about to leave, the steamboat ('Walk-in-the-Water') came in. A number of Indians who had never seen a steamboat flocked at the landing to see her, and some of them were induced to go



THE "WALK-IN-THE-WATER," 1818

The "Walk-in-the-Water," the first steamboat on the Great Lakes, was built at Black Rock, near the head of Squaw island, a few miles down the Niagara river from the mouth of Buffalo creek, and Aug. 23, 1818, was towed up the river from where she was built, into Lake Erie, by fourteen yoke of oxen. She arrived at Cleveland, Ohio, August 25, where she was greeted by the firing of a cannon. Her best speed was about eight miles an hour. Nov. 6, 1821, she started on a trip from Buffalo up the lakes, having on board a full cargo of freight and about fifty passengers. When she had gone about six miles a heavy storm came up and her captain deemed it prudent to put back to "Buffalo Bay" and anchor. Between 10 and 11 o'clock it was found she was leaking and dragging her anchor. Her cable was cut and she drifted on to the beach, becoming a total loss. Thus came and went the first steamboat on the lakes. (See "*A Walking-Trip — 1820*," p. 405.)

on board. The officers and passengers amused themselves for a time throwing silver pieces into the water, which was very clear, and seeing the redskins dive for them. It was very amusing to see them under the water squabbling for the pieces. After a while, the steam in the boiler having been held as long as was prudent, was let off, making a terrible noise, which so scared the Indians that they ran away as fast as possible, some of those on the vessel jumping into the river in great haste, creating much laughter.

"We soon passed Hog island, and before noon arrived at St. Clair, nine miles above Detroit.

"Saturday, the 27th, we came to the mouth of St. Clair river. The lake is twenty-eight miles across from north to south. As there was no wind we were obliged to come to anchor. Sunday noon, the 28th, there was a little breeze, and we started up the St. Clair river. Monday evening, the 29th, arrived at Fort Gratiot, about half a mile from Lake Huron. Tuesday there was a head wind, and we lay at anchor. Wednesday, the 31st, still head wind. The St. Clair river is very crooked. Saw many Indian huts along the shore. Thursday, June 1st, head wind and still at anchor. Friday, the 2d, very calm; rambled up and down bank of the river. Saturday, June 3d, sailors and passengers track the 'Beaver.' Thus the vessel was towed into Lake Huron. Sunday, the 4th, we had fine sailing. The rest of the journey uneventful. So glad to reach our new home."

WHY HE WAS CALLED HADJI.

When in Tangiers, Africa, in 1892, a small party of American tourists had for their guide a Moor, dressed in a long white robe after the oriental fashion. He was a man of considerable intelligence, and as he led the party through the town it was observed that he was treated with more than ordinary consideration. Some one finally asked him his name, and he gave it with a pronunciation like Hodg-ē. The laugh seemed to be on the Hodge part of the company, the writer being one of the number, and some one was unkind enough to remark something about "your long-lost brother." It was afterwards learned that every Mohammedan who makes a pilgrimage to Mecca discharges a high religious duty, which entitles the person ever after to be called Hadji, and thus he becomes a person of distinction in the community.

KING HODGE OF LIBERIA.

Strange as it may seem, a few years ago there was a king in Liberia, Africa, by the name of Hodge, the ruler of several tribes. Bishop Taylor, missionary in Africa for many years, wrote of him: "He is a tall, venerable-looking man of sixty years, a Christian who frequently adopts the roll of preacher, speaks tolerably fair English, and has abolished polygamy among his people."

It is barely possible that some Hodge whose name appears in this work may see, in the description given of King Hodge by Bishop Taylor, traits of character borne

by a member of his family who has strangely strayed to parts unknown! therefore it is but fair to state that King Hodge was a genuine Ethiopian with skin as black as night and hair as full of kinks as the head of the average so-called "free-thinker" is of crazy ideas. It is said that the name Hodge was given the king when he was a child, by some missionaries who wanted him to have an English name. Thus "Hodge" has found its way into the "Dark Continent" —

"Where Afric's sunny fountains
Roll down their golden sand."

Since the above was written the following letter has been received from Rev. Ross Taylor, son of the bishop:

NEW YORK, April 7, 1893.

COL. O. J. HODGE:

DEAR SIR: This is my first opportunity to reply to your inquiry addressed to Bishop Taylor, who is now in California. In regard to King Hodge of Africa, he was educated in the Presbyterian Seminary at Cape Palmas, an institution discontinued some years ago. The name of Hodge was given to him at that time, but from what source we do not know. After his graduation from the seminary he returned to heathenism and for some years lived the life of his heathen neighbors; a few years ago he was converted to God through the instrumentality of children of the mission that had been opened in his chief town and became a very zealous and efficient lay preacher. The church building in which his ministrations were given was a native-built structure erected at his own expense and that of his converted chiefs. After living a most consistent Christian life for several years, he died about two years ago. His case and many other interesting cases will be fully presented in the Bishop's new book, entitled "The Africa of To-day."

Yours truly,

ROSS TAYLOR.

HODGES, NOT HODGE.

In 1812 W. C. Little & Co., of Albany, N.Y., published a small book giving an account of the trial of a man for murder whose name was given as "Arthur Hodge." At the Athenæum Library, Boston, Mass., while engaged in searching for genealogical facts, a copy of this work was seen which brought to mind the lines of John G. Saxe on "Pride of Birth":

"Your family thread you can't ascend
Without good reason to apprehend
You may find it waxed on the other end;
Or more than that, your boasted line
May end in a loop of stronger twine."

Further research, however, brought to light an article in "Allen's American Biographical Dictionary," published in 1858, in which it is stated that the real name of this man was not Hodge but Arthur W. Hodges; that he was a West India planter who about 1792 settled in Tortola, chief of the Virgin islands, easterly from the island of St. Domingo. According to the article, Hodges was a man of wealth, of considerable standing in the community, having held several high and important offices, and had the title of "honorable." He, however, was cruel in the extreme, killing at different times by flogging or otherwise many of his slaves. He was finally tried for killing a slave named Prosper, and found guilty, but on account of his high standing was recommended for mercy. The judge, however, refused the mercy asked, and ordered him hanged, and May 8, 1811, he was executed.

So far as known he had no relatives in this country.

THE SQUIRE AND HIS TENANT.

OLD ENGLISH RHYME.

Hodge held a farm and smiled content,
While one year paid another's rent ;
But if he ran the least behind,
Vexation stung his anxious mind ;
For not an hour would landlord stay,
But seize the very quarter-day ;
That cheap the market ! scant the grain !
Though urged with truth, was urged in vain.
The same to him if false or true,
For rent must come when rent was due !
Yet the same landlord's cows and steeds
Broke Hodge's fence, and cropp'd his meads.
In hunting that same landlord's hounds,
See ! how they spread his new-sown grounds ;
Dog, horse, and man alike o'erjoy'd,
While half the rising crops destroyed ;
Yet tamely was the loss sustained —
'Tis said the sufferer once complained ;
The squire laughed loudly as he spoke,
And paid the tenant with a joke !
But luckless still poor Hodge's fate,
His worship's bull had forced a gate,
And gored his cow, the last and best, —
By sickness he had lost the rest.
Hodge felt at heart resentment strong ;
The heart will feel that suffers long ;
A thought that instant took his head,
And thus, within himself, he said :
" If Hodge, for once, don't fling the squire,
The village post him for a liar ! "

He said. Across his shoulder throws
His fork, and to his landlord goes.
"I come, an' please ye to unfold
What, soon or late, you must be told ;
My bull (a creature tame, till now)
— My bull has gored your worship's cow !
'Tis known what shifts I make to live,
Perhaps your honor may forgive."
"Forgive !" the squire replied and swore,
"Pray cant to me, forgive, no more !
The law my damage shall decide,
And know that I'll be satisfied."
"Think, sir, I'm poor, poor as a rat ;"
"Think, I'm a justice ! think of that."
Hodge bow'd again and scratched his head,
And recollecting, archly said,
"Sir, I'm so struck, when here before ye,
I fear I've blundered in my story ;
'Fore George ! but I'll not blunder now,
Yours was the bull, sir, mine the cow."
His worship found his rage subside,
And with calm accent thus replied :
"I'll think upon your case to-night,
But I perceive 'tis altered quite !"
Hodge shrugged, and made another bow,
"And please you, where's the justice now?"

THE DEAD DRUMMER.

WHO WAS KILLED AT SPION KOP, AFRICA.

BY THOMAS HARDY.

They throw in Drummer Hodge, to rest
Uncoffined — just as found.
His landmark is a kopje crest
That breaks the veldt around ;
And foreign constellations rest
Each night above his mound.

Young Hodge, the drummer, never knew —
Fresh from his Wessex home —
The meaning of the broad karoo,
The bush, the dusty loam,
And why uprose to nightly view
Strange stars amid the gloam.

Yet portion of that unknown plain
Will Hodge forever be ;
His homely northern breast and brain
Grow up a southern tree,
And strange-eyed constellations reign
His stars eternally.

IN THE BEYOND.

When on my grave the turf is green,
Shed not a tear above it,
Unless the life that I have lived
Has made me worthy of it.

Above my head plant not a rose,
Unless with will and power
Some goodly work that I have done
Shall live beyond the flower.

Erect for me no costly shaft,
Engrave no marble letter,
Unless the life that I have lived
Has helped the world grow better.

O. J. H. — 1880.

WHEN WE ARE GONE.

"The sun will rise and set the same,
Men will work and strive for fame,
Flowers will blossom in the spring,
And silvery wood-notes loudly ring,
As feathered warblers sweetly sing,
When we are gone.

"Above us, ever and anon,
Will pass the long years, one by one,
The cradle, coffin, and the grave
Will hold alike the king and slave,
The proud, the humble, and the brave,
When we are gone."

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- Page 112 — No. 263, read *in*, *Merriam*, *not* *Merriam*.
 " 117 — No. 724, read *E. St. Alford*, *not* *C. S.*
 " 127 — No. 324, read *b*, *Feb. 6*, *not* *Feb. 8*.
 " 127 — No. 327, read *Hutton*.
 " 132 — No. 304, read *shd.*, *1871*, *not* *1874*.
 " 134 — No. 313, read *in*, *1813*, *not* *1842*.
 " 135 — No. 314, read *id.*, *1813*, *not* *1864*.
 " 137 — No. 327, read *b*, *1823*, *not* *1828*.
 " 143 — No. 370, read *id.*, *1824*, *not* *1817*.
 " 144 — Line 7, after *Hartford* add, it is claimed.
 " 154 — Last line, read *Salmon*, *not* *Samuel*.
 " 175 — No. 523, read *Barker*, *not* *Parker*.
 " 198 — Top line, read *Hina*, *not* *Elma*.
 " 210 — Tenth line, read *Josiah*, *not* *Joseph*.
 " 205 — No. 5, seventh line, read *Deborah*, *not* *Sarah*.
 " 307 — No. 29, read *Nos. 23 and 32*, *not* *33*.

